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U. S.-MEXICO PACT FAILS

SENATE HALTS INDORSEMENT OF WILSON NOTE

Friction Over Its Meaning
Prevents Speedy Action
President Sought.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—The administration's official position that President Wilson's note was not a peace appeal but a declaration of the powers that the United States is "drawing nearer the verge of war" with one or more of the belligerents developed today, as the stumbling block to a unanimous endorsement of the American peace note by the United States senate.

In accordance with an understanding reached at his conference with the president last night, Senator Stone, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, planned to put through the afternoon the Hitchcock resolution endorsing Mr. Wilson's peace appeal.

When it was found that only a bare majority of the senate could be mustered in support of the resolution the senate resorted to a postponement until tomorrow.

Though the administration is busy pushing up the full Democratic strength and doing some missionary work among the Republicans with a view to obtaining an impressive vote for the resolution.

SEES SPEEDY INDORSEMENT.
In urgent does the president consider the necessity of action by the senate, if not also by the house, to enter up his peace appeal and give it the semblance of representing America's sentiment that Senator Stone's reference of the resolution to the committee on foreign relations and its immediate consideration of the measure.

Senators Lodge and Gallinger, prominent against snap judgment on a matter of such great importance, proposed the reference of the resolution to the committee, and suggested that all the official documents relating to the president's peace note be examined by the committee before recommending it.

Senators Gallinger and Lodge referred particularly to the two statements by Secretary of State Lansing interpreting the president's peace appeal, and to the supplementary notes addressed by the president to neutral powers as well as belligerents.

SENATE SHOULD KNOW.
According to these and other senators the senate ought not to endorse anything without knowing what it is endorsing.

This question, it is pointed out, has been particularly pertinent by the administration itself. Secretary Lansing said that "neither the president nor myself regards this note as a peace note" and that "the sending of this note will indicate the possibility of our being drawn into this war."

As much as it is well known that the administration has Germany in mind as the possible enemy and the submarine controversy as the issue it is asserted that endorsement of the president's peace note by the senate might lead to extremely serious complications.

HITCHCOCK DEFENDS MOVE.
"There are no complications in this situation," Senator Hitchcock said. "It is not an endorsement of the president's policy nor does it endorse the comprehensive parts of his note. The note toward peace is to state the case. Some day they must state terms. We as a neutral have a right to ask what the president has asked."

Tells Experiences in Chill Air of Upper Classes

Mrs. Roy Hanaford, Trail-
ed by Detectives, Found
to Be "a Good Girl."

Mrs. Annabelle von Sengerland Hanaford is disgusted with climbing. Here's what she says happened to her when she surged against the upper crust:

Mother-in-law "scouted" her out of the apartment where Geraldine Farrar was being entertained because she had bread dough on her hands.

Detectives were assigned to "get evidence" concerning her.

P. D. O'Brien, chief of the detective agency which bears his name admitted that he and his operatives failed. They didn't get anything on her because "she was a good girl." And "P. D." hunted her up and told her so because he said he was delighted at his own failure.

Poorer, wiser, sadder.
"I am back home, poorer, wiser, and sadder," said Mrs. Hanaford. "I am supporting mother as usual. I am disillusioned regarding the upper classes. I married into them."

Mrs. Hanaford lives at 1241 Emerson street, Evanston. She is 29 years old. Seven years ago she eloped and married Roy P. Hanaford, son of H. P. Hanaford, who formerly published Who's Who on the stage and is now getting out a weekly publication of some distinction, called The Cast. She met Roy at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Calvin Forbush of 923 Hinman avenue, Evanston. Roy's mother achieved some note under the pen name Jeffe Forbush Hanaford.

Atmosphere Too Rarified.
Young Mrs. Hanaford said the combination of writing and publishing created too temperamental an atmosphere for a poor girl who was loved and wedded for her beauty alone.

"I wasn't welcomed by Roy's folks," she said. "They consented to make me part of their household because Roy loved me so ardently. But my place was that of a drudge. I didn't mind. I was in love, too. I thought they would put me to it and become fond of me. I worked. I washed dishes in their New York apartment."

"My husband began to neglect me, partly, I believe, because I was lowered in standard by his own people. Then one day Roy's mother was entertaining Geraldine Farrar. I ran into the room innocently, though on my hands, and addressed her as 'Mother.' Roy's mother turned red and ordered me from the room. I turned red and I bawled her out right in the presence of her friends."

Bride of a Year.
Mrs. Hanaford returned home before she was a bride of a year. A divorce was desirable from the viewpoint of her in-laws and detectives were employed. They detected hard and, baffled, wired New York:

"Nothing doing. She's a good girl." And they were right, said young Mrs. Hanaford. "I am a good girl. But I am done with climbing."

HERE'S CHAMPION BUTTER FAT COW
Portland, Ore., Jan. 2.—Goldie's Nealeham Beauty, a year old Jersey cow, owned by Clifford F. Reid of Portland, was proclaimed today world's champion butter fat producing cow, according to a message received from the American Jersey Cattle club.

Goldie's record has been two and a half pounds of butter fat a day for an entire year. The previous record slightly under that was held by Lass Seventy-four of Hood farm.

The test was conducted through the Oregon Agricultural college.

GEN. CARRANZA WON'T AGREE TO PROTOCOL PLAN

Breach with De Facto Gov-
ernment Widens as Pro-
gram Is Spurned.

(By a Staff Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—The end of all efforts on the part of the United States looking toward an adjustment of Mexican internal affairs through diplomatic parleys with the Carranza government was seen here tonight.

It is understood that the United States government will follow the conclusion of parleys with Carranza by the withdrawal of the Pershing expedition from Mexico, which action has been imminent for some time.

FINAL REFUSAL RECEIVED.
Following a session of the Mexican-American commission which lasted through most of the day and did not break up until after 7 o'clock Secretary Lane of the American commission announced that Gen. Carranza had definitely and finally refused to ratify the Atlantic City protocol. He accompanied this statement with a copy of the protocol, which had not hitherto been made public.

PARLEYS WITH MEXICO OFF.
The adjournment of the parleys, following the withdrawal of Silas Arredondo, the Mexican ambassador designate, which became known earlier in the day, was taken in official circles to mean that all negotiations with the Carranza government are now closed.

Although a session of the American commission will be held tomorrow morning, this session will be merely for the purpose of saying goodbye, even the most optimistic admit.

What action will follow the withdrawal of Pershing or what the future policy of the United States will be is purely a speculative matter. It is generally believed that Pershing's army will be used to patrol the border, and thereby will displace many national guard units, which will be sent to their homes.

FEAR BREAK WILL COME.
However, with the powers of Carranza in Mexico waning and with conditions in northern Mexico becoming more and more chaotic and anarchistic every day, it is feared that the United States cannot long hope to avoid a clash with its southern neighbor or at least complications with one of its uncontrollable elements.

There are many who are saying tonight that the United States is now nearer intervention in Mexico than at any time since the present administration assumed charge of the Mexican situation. It is the impression that once the support of the United States is withdrawn from the Carranza government its fall is only a question of time.

What Mexican faction will then obtain control, no one knows. It may be that no faction will obtain control, but that the situation will finally result in a struggle between the many factions that are now contending for Mexican supremacy, including not only the Villistas but also the Zapatistas, the Felicitas, and the other dozen or so revolutionary elements that are always potential factors in Mexican politics.

AT UNSATISFACTORY STAGE.
Automatically the whole Mexican controversy reverts back to its most unsatisfactory stage of a few months ago. Its whole aspect is now so disturbing that President Wilson is making desperate efforts to appease the de facto government by granting at the latest moment the concessions which Carranza consistently spurned.

The administration strongly indicates tonight that Brig. Gen. Pershing's command will retreat from Mexican soil without further delay, and that Henry P. Fletcher, the American ambassador to Mexico, will leave at once for his post. The fact that Carranza felt slighted because Mr. Fletcher had not gone to Mexico City caused the president to take this action. Mr. Fletcher will arrange to leave in the near future, if conditions will permit.

WILSON YIELDS MAIN POINTS.
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(Continued on page 9, column 1.)

Mrs. Silas Cobb Coleman Files Suit for Divorce

Calls Grandson of Chicago
Pioneer Cruel and an
Idler.

Mrs. Daisy Derby Coleman filed suit for divorce in the Superior court yesterday against Silas Cobb Coleman. She charges cruelty and desertion.

Mr. Coleman is the grandson of Silas Cobb, a Chicago pioneer, who amassed a large fortune in this city. He is the son of Joseph G. Coleman. Joseph Coleman Jr. is his brother. The present Mrs. Joseph G. Coleman, one of the acknowledged leaders of the city's most exclusive society, is his stepmother.

Income \$30,000 a Year.
On the death of his grandfather in 1905 Cobb Coleman inherited \$500,000. His income, according to the divorce bill, has been \$30,000 a year. As a bachelor he lived in handsome style at 100 Lincoln park boulevard.

His marriage to the beautiful Miss Daisy Derby of Lansing, Mich., was a notable event. He and his bride went to live at 33 East Division street. Mrs. Coleman now resides at the Virginia hotel. Mr. Coleman is at his summer place, near Pittsfield, Mass. They have one child, Catherine, 9 years old.

Beverly Hide of Romance.
Mrs. Coleman arranges her husband in a list of charges in her divorce bill. Here is the reverse side of the romance which in organic blossom (line was pronounced by every one a love match:

"In Paris in the summer of 1909," reads the bill, "Mrs. Coleman returned to the room occupied by his wife at 3 o'clock in the morning. Mrs. Coleman was tending their daughter, Catherine, who was critically ill. Mrs. Coleman then and there threw a pitcher of ice water upon and over his wife."

"On Feb. 11, 1914, in their home in Chicago Mr. Coleman struck Mrs. Coleman about the ear so violently that her ear was blackened and severely bruised and for approximately two weeks Mrs. Coleman lost her hearing, and for three weeks bore the marks of the injury and suffered pain as a result of the blow for a long time thereafter."

"Again Struck" Her.
"On Dec. 16, 1915, while at the home of Mrs. Coleman's mother in Lansing and in the presence of their daughter, Catherine, Mr. Coleman again struck Mrs. Coleman without any just cause or provocation."

"On many other occasions Mr. Coleman has beaten, struck, abused, and otherwise mistreated his wife."

"Mrs. Coleman continued to live with him, notwithstanding such cruel and inhuman treatment, because of express and repeated promises by Mr. Coleman that he would cease such treatment. These promises have been broken."

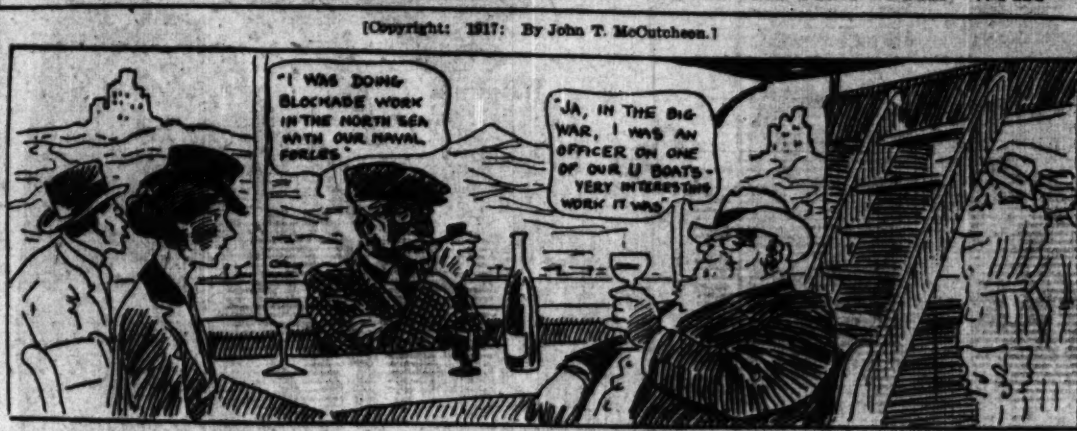
"Two children have been born. A daughter, born Aug. 6, 1905, died. Mr. Coleman at no time has treated their daughter, Catherine, with consideration, love, or affection."

"The defendant is a man of low, vicious, and vulgar habits and is wholly unfit to be entrusted with the custody of his education of their daughter, Catherine."

\$500,000 Inheritance.
Mrs. Coleman says that the \$500,000 which her husband inherited from his grandfather is now much more than that figure. She charges "that Mr. Coleman is not now and never has been engaged in any business, but leads a life of ease and luxury, is extravagant, and is now spending the entire \$500,000 yearly income from his estate."

In conclusion Mrs. Coleman asks such alimony as the court may deem necessary for the maintenance of herself and daughter.

IT'S VERY HARD TO IMAGINE EUROPE AFTER THE WAR



On a Rhine Steamer.



On a Channel Boat.



In the Plaza of Saint Mark in Venice.

THE WEATHER.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1917.

Barometer, 7.13; sun, 4.31. Moon sets 4:13 a. m. Chicago and vicinity: Fair Wednesday and Thursday; no decided change in temperature; moderate to fresh winds; mostly west to south-west. Illinois: Generally fair Wednesday and Thursday; no decided change in temperature.

TEMPERATURE IN CHICAGO.

(Last 24 hours.)

Maximum, 5 p. m., 44	Minimum, 5 a. m., 32
1 p. m., 40	11 p. m., 37
12 m., 38	12 m., 35
9 a. m., 35	8 p. m., 38
6 a. m., 32	5 p. m., 40
3 a. m., 30	2 p. m., 42
12 m., 28	11 p. m., 40
9 a. m., 25	8 p. m., 38
6 a. m., 22	5 p. m., 35
3 a. m., 20	2 p. m., 32
12 m., 18	11 p. m., 30

For complete weather report see page 22.

YESTERDAY ELSEWHERE.

Temp. 7 p. m. High. Low.

New York	40	32	Clear
Boston	38	30	Clear
Washington	42	34	Clear
St. Louis	40	32	Clear
St. Paul	38	30	Clear
San Francisco	50	42	Fair

SHIPPERS ADVISE.

Special Forecast for Shippers.

Within Radius of 500 Miles.

Protect shipments to reach destination by tomorrow night from temperature as follows: North and west, 10 to 30 above zero; east and south, 10 to 20 below.

URGES RECALL OF EXPEDITION FROM SALONKI

LONDON, Jan. 3, 2:40 a. m.—The Daily Mail, in a long editorial this morning, condemning the Salonki expedition, and, in effect, demanding its recall, declares that the expedition was notoriously planned by civilians in defiance of military traditions.

"It was too late and too weak to save Serbia," the editorial says. "It has been unable to assist Rumania, and cannot harm the invaders there because the army can traverse the roadless mountains between Salonki and Rumania."

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RUSSIAN NOBLES SLEW RASPUTIN?

Petrograd Papers Hint Murder
of Famous Monk Who In-
fluenced the Czar.

LONDON, Jan. 3, 3 a. m.—The morning newspapers in their Petrograd dispatches today, feature stories of the reported death of Gregory Rasputin, the Russian monk who, it has been reported, exercised great influence over Emperor Nicholas.

The reports of the death of Rasputin evidently are making a stir in Russia, not only on account of his personality but owing to allegations that two persons of exalted rank and a well known former member of the duma were concerned in his taking off.

The general assumption in the stories is that Rasputin was murdered, and some of the accounts say so unqualifiedly. According to one story, two young aristocrats drove in an automobile the night of Friday-Saturday to the house on Korokhovaya street, where a house, assumed to have been Rasputin's, entered the car, which then went to Yusupoff palace, which is owned by the young Prince Yusupoff, heir to Gen. Prince Yusupoff, aid to Emperor Nicholas.

Police Told Dog Was Killed.
Afterward the police heard shots and cries coming from the palace garden. Hastening there to make inquiries, they saw blood on the snow in the garden and were shown the carcass of a dog, which, they were told, had been shot because it was mad.

Meantime, according to another version, the body of a murdered man, wrapped in a fur coat, was placed in an automobile. The aristocrats took seats in the car and drove to Petrovsky island, in the Neva. Investigation Saturday and Sunday led to the discovery of a freshly made hole in the ice, traces of blood, and many footprints nearby. Divers descended into the river and found the body of Rasputin.

Prince Leaves, Then Returns.
The names of the persons suspected as being concerned in the alleged murder are not printed, but it is stated that young Prince Yusupoff, after the death of the monk, quit Petrograd for his Crimean estate, but that he subsequently returned to the capital. Young Yusupoff is related to the imperial family by marriage.

EUROPEAN WAR SUMMARY

Germania now peril Russo-Roumanian frontier near Braila and fight for Machin Bridgehead in Dobrudja. Berlin and Vienna report advance in Moldavian sector.

Only raiding parties reported on western front. British report failure of German attempts to enter trench.

Petrograd reports German efforts to advance at various places on eastern front failed.

One French and one Greek steamers sunk by submarines.

The first two, who were working about 150 feet in the air, plunged to the ground. They are at the Oak Park hospital and may die.

Doolick and Blaaschick were hurt by falling timbers.

There were three towers, used in concrete work, on the premises where buildings are being erected for the American Can company. The two taller towers are 200 and 175 feet, while the third is about 150 feet in height. Water, cement, stone, and sand are put in at the top, mix on their descent through the large pipes in the center of the towers, the resulting concrete being used by laborers on the ground. A rope supporting the towers came in contact with an electric cable and was burned. Before the huge masses crashed to the ground many laborers, warned by cries of fellow workers, scurried to safety.

TOWERS CRASH; TWO MEN FALL 150 FEET AND LIVE

Four men were hurt, two of them perhaps fatally, yesterday when two frame towers collapsed at Twelfth street and St. Charles avenue in Maywood. The injured:

Nicholas Ritschke, 651 West Superior street.

Michael Kuback, 3715 Shields avenue.

M. Doolick, 240 West Twenty-fourth street.

Louis Blaaschick, 2333 South Fifth avenue.

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POLICE ACT CAUTIOUSLY

The strangeness of the narrative has been one of the points responsible for the delay in making an arrest. It is a late hour tonight the case of the police is, in all probability, one of the most amazing ever told in the criminal history of this town.

It involves not only the wealthy up-stater now believed to have been Grace Roberts' assailant, but it seriously implicates in a lesser degree a prominent Philadelphian who has also been questioned by the detectives and who, if not an actual eyewitness to the murder, acted as a look-alike for the man who fled from the scene.

The man suspected of being responsible for the death of Philadelphia's physically most perfect woman known he is under suspicion. He has put his side in the hands of his friends here, who are many and prominent.

He has retained lawyers and tonight it appears entirely possible that they will advise him to take the initiative, tell the full story of what happened, and place his life in the hands of a jury with a strong bias of self-defense.

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Threat Made.

and for the appointment of a
case's attorney to try the
case, on one hand, and
the disbarment proceedings
attorney J. J. Healy, acting for
P. H. O'Donnell, on the other,
stormy court hearing yesterday
before Judge Walker. Further
action in the grand jury also was
discussed.

about when the Erbstein
case was called for trial,
which reply to the petition
special state's attorney,
about the hearing Assistant
Attorney General and O'Donnell
such expressions as "bribe
and Cook," and "I'll
the removal of Hoyne.

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O'Donnell. "I ask for the
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of this case. In the petition,
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Your own stenographer,
and I got your records."
have a statement from Klein
for the last five months.
The charges made in
are absolutely false and

to Test Adoption
Revenue Amendment

Jan. 2.—(Special.)—
Admiral Mortimer will file a
petition tomorrow to test the
adoption of the tax amendment
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'LEAK' CHARGES
MADE BY LAWSON
STIR UP SENATE

Stone Asserts Bureau Betray
Secrets—Boston Man and
Congressmen Confer.

[BY STAFF CORRESPONDENT]
Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—
That some sort of investigation into
the recent "leak" of the president's
peace note will have to be ordered was
the opinion of many congressmen fol-
lowing today's developments on the
"leak" scandal.

In the senate, Senator Stone of Mis-
souri, after calling Thomas W. Lawson
an "ass, a creature of low type," and
an "abominable character," proceeded
to charge that secrets involving the
honor of the nation have found their
way out of the state department.

Senator Stone's charge was based on
the house Representative Emerson
of Ohio urged consideration of his resolu-
tion introduced today calling for an
investigation of the charges made by
Lawson that members of congress were
concerned in the "leak."

Lawson Meets Congressmen.
In the meantime, Mr. Lawson himself
went to the capital and held two confer-
ences with Representative Henry of Tex-
as, chairman of the rules committee, and
arranged to hold a conference tomorrow
with Representative Wood of Indiana,
chairman of the investigation resolution
committee.

Senator Stone's remarks created a sensa-
tion. He started out by attacking the
O'Donnell (dows) Courier for carrying a
story saying "U. S. Stone" figured
in stock market transactions on the day
of the "leak" to the extent of \$74,000
shares. "The story was unvarnished
fact," Senator Stone asserted. "I
did not buy or sell one penny's worth of
stock." He declared the report was a
plain case of "newspaper mendacity."

Senator Borah of Idaho then informed
Senator Stone and the senate that the
words "U. S. Stone" constituted a typo-
graphical error and probably were in-
tended to mean "U. S. Steel."

Stone Charges Bureau Leaks.
The whole senate, including the gal-
leries, laughed heartily at Senator
Stone's error. Not discomfited by this
error, Senator Stone then made his
statement concerning the "leak" in the
state department.

"I do not know if there is any founda-
tion for these sensational stories," he
said. "But I do know that the leaks
which occurred in the departments that ought
not to be possible. I know that confi-
dential communications to the state de-
partment from foreign governments,
which would never have been made ex-
cept in the faith that department would
hold them sacred, have by some means
found their way into hands of men not
authorized to receive them."

"The things to which I refer did not
concern stock market transactions, how-
ever, but the honor of the nation. How
this happened I do not know, but only
it could have happened through the in-
fidelity of employees of the state de-
partment."

Henry Derides Lawson Charges.
After the afternoon conference with
Mr. Lawson Representative Henry gave
out the following statement:
"In a thorough conference the alleged
leak has been discussed by Mr. Lawson
and myself. I have asked him for the
names of those thought to be responsi-
ble for the so-called leak between the
state department and Wall street. He
cannot give me a single name. He can-
not even give me the names of those
charged by him with cleaning up \$600,
000,000 in connection with the leak and
is not able to furnish me the name of
even one of the suspects."

Campbell Demands Fair Hearing.
Representative Campbell of Kansas,
speaking for himself and other Republi-
can members of the rules committee,
early in the day demanded that a full
and fair hearing be given Mr. Lawson
and any one else who wishes to testify
regarding the "leak" before the whole
rules committee.

Representative Wood said today he
would make a speech on the subject of
the investigation, probably tomorrow or
Thursday.

Chimes of Grace Church
Cause "Orgy of Agony"

Another complaint about the chimes
of Grace Episcopal church, Fifteenth
street and Wabash avenue, was made
yesterday by the rules committee.
John E. Springer, a patient at St. Luke's
hospital in August of 1915, wrote:
"The chimes make a stay in St.
Luke's, to any person with an acute dis-
ease, nothing short of agony."
"Automobiles hurrying by the hospital
are bad enough, but to this is added the
constant striking of the clock at quarter
hours at Grace church, culminating
on Sunday morning in a weekly 'orgy.'"

Jury Releases Bpy Held
for New Year Killing

A coroner's jury yesterday released
George Ross of 4064 Oakwood avenue,
who struck and killed George Everett
at 103 East Forty-third street on New
Year's morning. The evidence disclosed
that Ross had been to a party and was
returning home with a young woman
who he met Everett. It was shown
further that he was not the aggressor
in the trouble that followed and that
he was not drinking. The jury held
that he was justified in defending him-
self as he did, and directed his release.

Woman Found Dying
at Her Rear Stairway

Miss Elizabeth Martin, 4736 South
State street, was found dying at her
rear stairway last night.

THROUGH WITH "CLIMBING"
Girl Who Married Into "Broadway Set" by Elopement and Who Was Shadowed in
Vain by Detectives.

Mrs. Roy F. Hanford
CELEBRITY PHOTO

This is Mrs. Annabelle von Seger-
land Hanford, who has cut "high
society." But she says "high soci-
ety" cut her first. She says her
wealthy new environment made a
scullery drudge of her and concealed

her when company was present.
Detectives employed "to get some-
thing" against young Mrs. Han-
ford's character gave up with whoops
of delight and wired their employer,
the mother-in-law: "Nothing doing."

She's a good girl," Young Mrs.
Hanford was a shop girl before
her elopement in 1908 with Roy Han-
ford, which brought marital catas-
trophe. She is again a shop girl.

HOYNE RAISES
BOND \$45,000
IN AUTO CASE

Roy D. Whitehead, another alleged
member of the automobile thieves'
"trust," was placed in the county jail
yesterday. He was lured to the state's
attorney's office by Assistant State At-
torney James R. Quinn, who has charge
of the investigation of the alleged
"trust," and was then surrendered on
his bond before Judge Greve.

The bond was raised from \$5,000 to
\$45,000.
Whitehead was questioned at consid-
erable length, but, it is said, refused to
answer.

FLEECE PILOT
BECOMES WARY

Experience has made Harry Poole cau-
tious. Poole, a master lake pilot living
at the Morrison hotel, was awindled out
of \$50 New Year's night by a gipsy for-
tune teller in a shooting gallery at 74
West Madison street.

Mary Stanko, 30 years old, living at
the Paris hotel in South State street,
was arrested yesterday on his complaint.
"Sign your name to this complaint,"
said Sergt. Patrick Brady, showing
an arrest blank toward Poole.

Depew Placed on Trial
for Slaying of Detective

Charles M. Depew was placed on trial
in Judge Fitch's court yesterday on the
charge of murdering Detective Sergt.
John Blak of the North Halsted street
station last September. Previous to the
trial the murder was committed Depew
lived at the home of Mrs. Nellie Ackers,
at 1925 North Park avenue. On the
night of Sept. 30 Depew drove her from
the place. She complained to the police,
and the next day went there with Sergt.
Blak to get her clothing. Depew inter-
fered, and then shot Mrs. Ackers twice
and the policeman. Sergt. Blak died
four days later. Depew's defense will
be that the shooting was accidental.

Corrupt Practices Bill
Goes to Senate Today

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—With mi-
nor changes the revised corrupt prac-
tices bill, which would limit campaign
contributions to any national political
committee to 1/4 cents per capita of the
country's population, was approved to-
day by the senate elections committee.
It will be reported to the senate tomor-
row.

Pardon Application for
Billik Goes to Governor

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—It
is expected that the report of the state
board of pardons in the case of Herman
Billik will be sent to Gov. Danne to-
morrow. The board sent to Joliet today
for a final interview with the prisoner
and to check up on the evidence given in
his behalf.

O'HARA CLEARED
OF BOND MIRE

Promises Landis to Ask
"Bobby" Clarke to Come
to Testify.

Federal Judge Landis continued his
drive on crooked bondsmen and bank-
ruptcy swindlers yesterday. Among the
developments of the day was the ap-
pearance of Leisur Gov. Bennett O'Hara
as a witness.

Mr. O'Hara had been sub-
poenaed merely in the hope that he
might be able to throw some light on
Robert R. Clarke, who had formerly
been his secretary.
Clarke, according to the testimony of
Timothy M. Curtin, the "back of the
yields" bondsmen held to the grand jury
for perjury, aided him in forging a deed.
Curtin alleged that Clarke prepared the
deed and then signed the name of Mrs.
Mary Curtin, Curtin's mother. It was
the strength of this alleged forged deed
that Curtin was allowed to give bail
in the Municipal and Criminal courts.

Parted Two Years Ago.
As Clarke could not be located at the
time it was ordered by the judge that
Mr. O'Hara be subpoenaed. Upon taking
the stand the lieutenant governor said
he had not seen Clarke for more than
two years.

As I understand he is working on
a newspaper in Minneapolis," testified Mr.
O'Hara. "When he worked for me he
was industrious and efficient. He had
worked as a newspaper man in Chicago
for ten years, and I believe the test of
ten years in Chicago as a newspaper
man is sufficient to prove a man honora-
ble."

Girl Finds Mother After
Separation of 18 Years

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—
Eighteen years ago Mrs. E. F. Cressap
of this city was forced to give up her baby
daughter, Marjorie, 1 year old. The
baby was adopted by a Chicago attorney,
who remarried and lost track of the
child.

Strauss Praises Nance
for Milk Purity Work

Ald. Willis O. Nance yesterday dis-
played with great pleasure a telegram
he had received from Nathan Strauss of
New York, millionaire champion of milk
purity.

Habeas Corpus Writ Asked
for Recovery of Child

Possession of his 14 year old daughter,
Florence, is sought by Stanley Klein,
4811 School street, in a petition for a
writ of habeas corpus against Pauline
Klein, whose address is given as 1828
Maud avenue. The writ is made return-
able before Judge Thomson next Satur-
day.

Teller Ends Life by Gun.
Oustave Bergstrom, 25 years old, member
Bergstrom & Jacob, restaurant, 1830
North Paulina street, was found dead yes-
terday seated at his desk, with a gun
bullet in an open jar in his mouth. One
theory is that Bergstrom and his wife had
separated, which may have caused him to
commit suicide.

PENITENT DIETZ
ELOPER RETURNS
TO ACTRESS WIFE

Man Who Fled with Chicago
Woman Several Months
Ago Comes Back.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—
"Gen. Klaus, John Dietz."
This line in a theater program inter-
ested a number of prominent people
here today, for when "John Dietz"
appeared on the stage of the Grand
opera house as Gen. Klaus many in the
audience recognized him as Karl L.
Dietz, former director of the Little
Playhouse company, Walnut Hills, Cin-
cinatti, who departed from this city
several months ago, coincidentally with
a Chicago woman.

Mrs. Dietz Enters.
Another surprise was in store for for-
mer friends and acquaintances of Dietz
when they saw Mrs. Dietz, an amateur
actress, estranged from Dietz on ac-
count of the unfortunate part. Only Sun-
day Manager Stoenberger of the
"Arms and the Girl" company, with
which Dietz is playing, says Dietz was
stage director of the play, but recently
was given a leading part which he
made a decided hit. Mrs. Dietz joined
her husband at Dayton, O., last week.

Mr. Dietz's Apology.
"I hope that the old incident need not
be recalled at this time," said Mr. Dietz
today. "I have tried to make repara-
tion for the unfortunate part. Only Sun-
day I have been given this fine part to play.
I have been doing my best on a small
salary to repay the debts which I left
behind me, and now with this better
role, which the thought brings me more
salary, I hope to wipe the slate clean in
a short time. My wife and I have be-
come reconciled since my unfortunate
love affair, and we are trying to forget
the incidents that brought us such un-
welcome attention in Cincinnati and
Chicago. It has been a hard trial, but I
hope to come out of it and leave no re-
grets on the part of others."

Mrs. Dietz, known on the stage as Belle
Starr, explained that she had been with
her husband for several months, having
been summoned to New York to nurse
him through a severe illness. Until re-
cently she has been playing in "Rio
Grande," which closed its season. She
now will continue to accompany her
husband on his tour.

MORE REPORTS
OF VIOLATIONS
ON NEW YEAR'S

Chief Healey yesterday received only
one report of a violation of the 1 o'clock
closing ordinance New Year's eve. In
the regular routine such reports are
mailed by the captain, and most of
them will reach the chief's office today.
Suit will be filed in every instance.

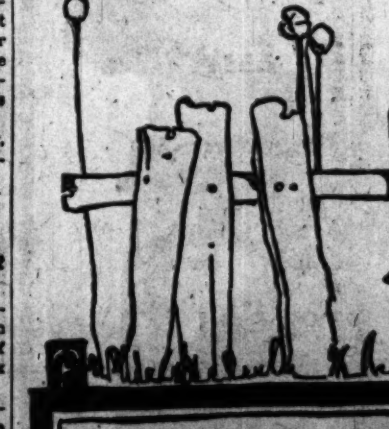
Further violations in the loop district
were disclosed in a statement to Chief
Healey by Capt. Morgan Collins. In ad-
dition to the downtown places previously
listed the following were named:
Hotel La Salle, Tip Top Inn,
Movie Inn, Perfecto restau-
rant,
Joy Yen Lo,
Wing Yee Lo,
Sung Yen Lo.

Solly Lewinsohn Hires
Lawyer to Fight Removal

New York, Jan. 2.—The hearing in re-
moval proceedings against Solomon Lew-
insohn, under indictment in Chicago for
using the mails to defraud, scheduled to
take place today before United States
Commissioner Houghton, was postponed to
Jan. 12. The postponement was granted
on the statement of Lewinsohn that he
had engaged as counsel a former
assistant United States district at-
torney in Chicago and that he proposed
to fight removal. He claims that while
absent from this country he visited the
battle fronts in Europe and wrote and
published stories of his experiences in
the trenches.

Italian Husband Pokes
German Wife in Eye

Denpla Platta of 1215 North Clark
street poked his wife, in the eye last
evening at North Clark and Oak streets.
Among the passengers on the car was
Detective Sergt. Harry O'Donnell,
who arrested both of them. He is Ital-
ian and she German.

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1917 DIVORCES
Here Are Some Folks Who Re-
solved to Quit Being Married.

Some folks on New Year's re-
solved to please the partners of
their joys and sorrows during
1917 and others decided it was a
hopeless task. Here are a few
cases of the second class:

JESSE M. ALLEN just left.
HARRY CRAWFORD chastised
the baby with a belt, Hazel says.

MRS. PHOEBE HEBEL is now
Phoebe Wilts. The harmonious
wooing of John A. Hebel, a musician,
caused her to wed him in Crown
Point six months after she was di-
vorced from Louis Cornfield. It was
six months too soon.

MRS. CARRIE F. MUNDY said
Homer was a wandering minstrel and
had deserted her seven times in as
many years.

WILLIAM METZGER might have
hopped on the wagon some other
new year, Minnie said. So far as
she's concerned it's too late now.

ALBERT MC MULLEN, ditto.
HENRY McFARLAND of Palatine
accuses Thomas Carroll, with whom
he lives, of being a liar and a cheat.

CHRIST PHIPPS should have
sworn off staying out late.
ALFRED YOUNG, ditto.

URGES PURCHASE
OF 20,000 ACRES
FOR PRESERVE

At a meeting of the forest preserve
district commissioners yesterday Presi-
dent Peter Reinberg sent his annual
message, reviewing the work of the
commissioners in planning and recom-
mending for purchase 20,000 acres of
timber land in the county, to be pre-
served as natural forests. These include
tracts in the Desplaines river valley,
along the Chicago and Calumet rivers,
Salt creek, Beverly Hills, and in many
other localities.

The district now holds title, the re-
port states, to approximately 500 acres
in the Palatine tract, procured at a cost
of \$47,000. Condemnation proceedings
for the acquisition of the remainder of
the tract are pending in the Superior
court. Nearly 400 acres have been pur-
chased along the Desplaines river, or
now being held under conveyance by
the Forest Preserve district at a cost
of \$202,707. The district also holds
title to an eight acre tract in the town-
ship of Palos.

President Reinberg congratulated the
board on the excellent progress made
and the work accomplished.

CHICAGO MEN
MEET SATURDAY
FOR PEACE PLAN

J. Ogden Armour, Arthur T. Aldis,
Victor F. Lawson, Cyrus H. McCormick,
John W. Farwell, James B. Forgan, C. I.
Hutchinson, Carter H. Harrison, C. C.
Kohlman, Harry A. Wheeler, George M.
Raymond, John S. Rumrill, La Verne W.
Noyes, and other captains of industry,
commerce, and finance to the total num-
ber of seventy-six have issued invitations
for a dinner at the Congress hotel for
Saturday "to consider a program for
a permanent league of nations to become
effective at the close of the present war."

221 BELGIANS ON
WAY TO CHICAGO

New York, Jan. 2.—Nine hundred and
sixty-five refugees from Belgium and
Russian Poland arrived here tonight
from Rotterdam on the steamship Nieuw
Amsterdam of the Holland-American
line. The Belgians, numbering 221, were
brought here by the Belgian Relief so-
ciety of Chicago through the efforts of
Father John Deville of Chicago, who
has been engaged in refugee work
abroad. They will make their homes
with relatives in the middle west.

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HELD DESPITE
PLEA OF WIFE

McDougall Must Answer
Charge at Aurora of At-
tempting Her Life.

BROTHER ON THE SCENE

Aurora, Ill., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—William
MacDougall, the second husband of Dr.
Margaret Mitchell-MacDougall, takes
out of overalls and given a professional
education, was held in \$10,000 bonds to-
day by Justice Cortes Dutton on a
charge of attempting to take the life
of his wife, who was found early Sun-
day morning lying helpless on the rail-
road tracks at the rear of her apart-
ment.

Just before her husband was ar-
raigned, Mrs. MacDougall said she fell
off her back porch to the tracks, twenty-
four feet below. "Mack did not do it,"
she said.

But if Dr. MacDougall intended that
her husband should not be able to an-
swer for her injuries, a broken collar
bone and a fractured leg, her brother,
James Doran of Omaha, was not of the
same mind. He got the warrant for
MacDougall and engaged special coun-
sel, Attorney John C. Murphy, to help
prosecute him.

Running to Escape.

Mrs. MacDougall may have fallen off
the porch, but she was running to es-
cape her husband. It is contended by
her brother and lawyer, and stumbled
over the low railing, which is only a
foot high. MacDougall admitted he
tried to burst the door leading to his
wife's apartment about midnight, but
he failed to get in. She had piled
the furniture high against the door, he
said, earlier in the evening after he
in which she hit him with a mesh bag
and cut his face.

Dr. MacDougall, who is about 30 years
old, married her present husband Sept.
23, 1911, while he was employed as a
toolmaker in a machine shop. After the
marriage MacDougall continued to work
in the shop, but his wife persuaded him
to leave it and take up the study of op-
erometry. He went to school in Chicago
and passed the state examination.

Returns to Workshop.
The profession took MacDougall away
from old companions and he was dis-
satisfied. Finally he went back to work
in the shop. Mrs. MacDougall started
suit for divorce last April, alleging
cruelty. Among other things she said
her husband broke her nose. MacDoug-
gall left Aurora and went to Chicago,
where he got a job at his trade. He
worked there only two months when he
and his wife were reconciled and he
returned to Aurora.

Dr. MacDougall's first husband, Wil-
liam Mitchell, was a brakeman when
she married him, but she got him to
quit and sent him to a school of den-
tistry while she studied medicine. He
practiced here up to the time of his
death.

Fined for Annoying Matron.
David Coter of 849 North Clark street, a
waiter, was fined \$10 and costs yesterday
by Judge Swanson on a charge returned
by Mrs. Ada Chandler, a matron at the Chicago
evening station. The matron testified Cot-
ter persistently spoke to her on the street.

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PAINTS ENTENTE REPLY AS SCHEME TO WIN NEUTRALS

Spokesman for Germany Says
Allies Appear Afraid to Hear
the Proposals of Berlin.

(By the Associated Press.)

BERLIN, Jan. 2. (Special.)—The German impression of the entente's reply to the peace proposals of the central powers was reflected today in a statement made to the semi-official Overseas News agency by Dr. Hammann, who until the turn of the year was director of the intelligence department of the foreign office.

This comment was not based on the official text of the entente's note, as thus far only the version supplied by the Havas News agency from Paris has been received here.

Dr. Hammann, who collaborated in the important work of the foreign office last month, said that consideration by Germany and her allies of a peace offer dated back as far as October. At that time the intention was entertained of making an honest and sincere attempt to prevent further useless bloodshed.

Being asked as to the general impression created by the entente reply, he said:

"If I am to express an opinion in a few words, it is this: Instead of taking place around a peace table, the entente's deliberations took place on a judge's chair. Apparently the entente forgot nothing that could possibly influence neutrals against us."

"What about the reproaches that the German peace offer contained nothing tangible?" was suggested.

"The tangible point," Dr. Hammann replied, "was that Germany declared her readiness to communicate her peace conditions in conference with her adversaries. The entente has declined this proposal."

"To me it seems evident that the entente when doing this felt seriously concerned and greatly depressed on account of the impression this refusal of the German peace offer must make on the neutral world."

"This is clearly indicated by the tone of the entente note. It is exactly as if the entente were in a certain sense afraid to listen to the conditions of the central powers."

"Are those men who gave to the entente note its particular tone perhaps afraid that these conditions of the central powers are much too sensible and moderate for them before their nations who long for peace, to undertake the responsibility of declining those individual conditions?"

"Dodged 'Keep Up War' Arowal." At all events our adversaries would have acted more frankly if they had said plainly and simply: 'We will wait because we still hope that we need not negotiate, but can dictate the terms of peace.' In order to avoid this awkward avowal the entente now takes the attitude of the Judge of the world."

"But all that the entente obtains by the proceeding is that its guilt for the continuation of the war unmistakably in the eyes of the whole world is not diminished but increased."

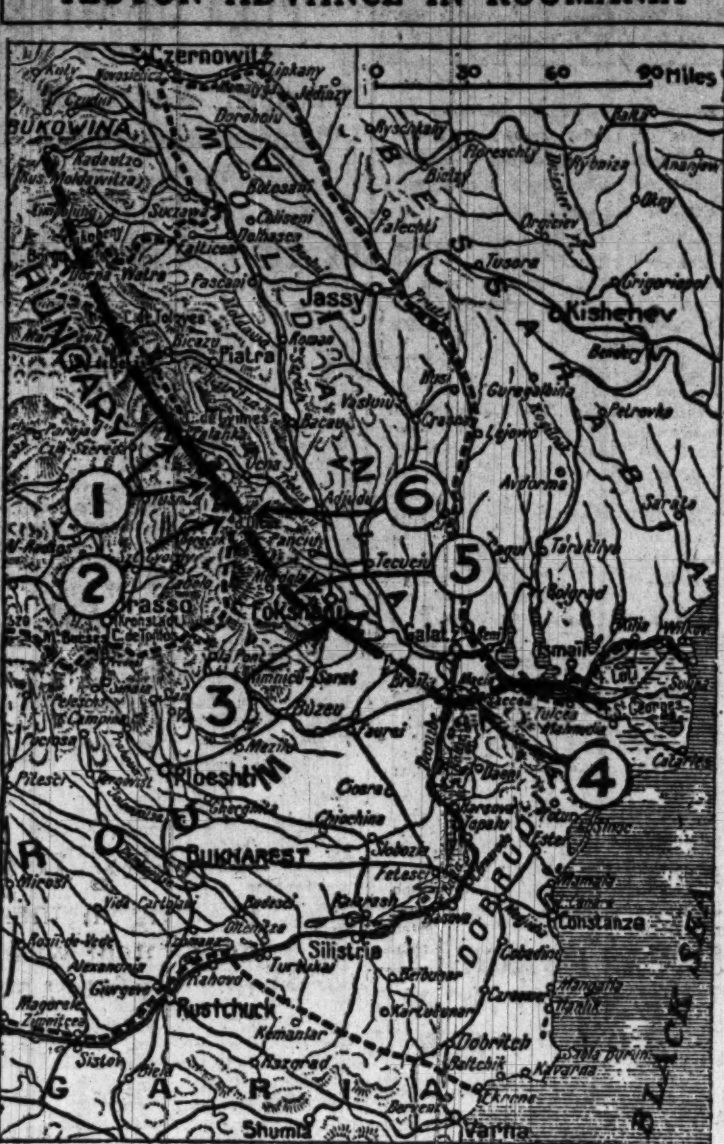
"And will the central powers reply to this note?" was asked.

Dr. Hammann answered: "I am no more in office; I do not know the official peace plan. But I do know what every German, what every citizen in the countries allied with us feels at this hour; however, to such overbearing language there need be no discussion."

Discussing the situation in detail, Dr. Hammann said:

"The point of the accusation, however, to which the largest space is al-

TEUTON ADVANCE IN ROUMANIA



- 1—Berlin reports Austro-Germans captured Mount Faltucan ridge of heights south of Trotus valley.
- 2—Austro-Germans took by storm positions on both sides of the Otus valley.
- 3—German and Austro-Hungarian troops, Berlin reports, are approaching the bridgehead positions near Fohahan and Fudenti.
- 4—Bulgarian official report states offensive against Matchin bridge-head positions is making progress. Four cannon, fourteen machine guns, and 1,150 prisoners were captured.
- 5—Petropolis reports Austro-Germans forced back Russian cavalry detachment south of Zabol and Putna rivers after main force had retired during night.
- 6—Petropolis reports Rumanian troops checked enemy attacks east of Hunpurtan frontier, north and south of the Kasino river.

lotted in the entente note is 'the martyrdom of Belgium.' But if one desires to pass judgment on 'the martyrdom of Belgium' one must speak beforehand regarding 'neutral and loyal Belgium,' and this Belgium had ceased to exist before the war.

"I do not want to speak about the documents which we found in Brussels and which have been published. They can be read by everybody. I only wish to single out one point which up to now has not been sufficiently considered—the report made by Baron Greindl, Belgian minister at Berlin, dated Dec. 28, 1911."

"This clear sighted statement then explained forcibly that already at that time the entente was inspired by nothing but the one thought of encircling Germany from the north. As proof of this Baron Greindl quoted the outcry started in Paris and London a short time before when the Dutch plan to fortify Flushing had become known."

"Wanted Antwerp as Base." Baron Greindl then said:

"The reason why they wished that the Scheldt remain without defense was not concealed. In this they admitted their purpose to be able to transport an English garrison to Antwerp without hindrance, thus creating in Belgium a base for operations in the direction of the lower Rhine and Westphalia."

"Baron Greindl reported that the plan

whole nation has been pushed into misery. Rumania has been dragged into a great war by all sorts of dark machinations.

"And then look at Greece. There the entente has occupied the ports, railroads, cable and postal stations, and whole districts of the country, all against the law of nations. There the entente has simply taken what it needed and by blockade and hunger has forced the Greeks to surrender those things which the entente was unable to take."

Puts Crisis Up to Russia. "What about the reproach that Germany in the decisive week of July, 1914, declined the British proposal of a conference and thus made war unavoidable?"

"The proposal for a conference was made July 26 by Grey," Dr. Hammann replied. "The meaning of it was that the delegates of France, Italy, and Germany should meet with Grey in conference and try to find a way out of a difficult situation. The first condition being the holding of such a conference possible should have been that the Russian cabinet declare its consent, but it answered July 27 in an evasive manner and referred to conversations with the Austro-Hungarian ambassador in St. Petersburg (Petrograd) as having begun under the most favorable auspices."

"The following day Grey agreed to the German proposal that a direct understanding between Vienna and St. Petersburg would result in quicker and better action."

When War Came Started. "I can only advise every one to read the English blue book if he wants to be informed about these matters. But to my mind it seems to be altogether wrong to look for the real causes of the war in the events during the last weeks of July, 1914. Then, perhaps, the last impulse for war was given, but the real cause must be found a considerable time before."

"Since the Anglo-French treaty of 1894 a complete literature had sprung up in France in which openly and loudly the conquest of Alsace-Lorraine was discussed and everything said in order to suggest to the French the idea of Germany's inferiority. The entente's note points out that at the last peace conference Germany treated the proposition to disarm with distrust. But Germany knew then perfectly that the proposition was mainly directed against her existence."

"Russia, after the economic regulation that followed the war with Japan, had worked with increasing zeal for the preparation of her army. When Germany employed the surplus of her youth for military service France introduced a three years' service."

French Money for Russia. "Six months before the beginning of the French military specialists published openly discussions regarding the reasons for billions and billions of French money streaming into Russia, and the conditions under which France had loaned this money. France had asked in return for her loans the construction of strategic railroads in Russia."

"In this literature it was explained, with all the circumstances, that not Warsaw but Grodno and Kovno would be the base for Russian development, because from there the Prussian army could most quickly be rolled up, and thus the road to Berlin could be opened."

"In such circumstances it most certainly would have been an easy thing for Belgium, after the German questing in 1914, whether Belgium would permit the passage of German troops, to take her armies back to Antwerp and then let the Germans, under protest, march through the country."

"How little such action would have violated the spirit of existing conditions may be understood if one recalls the secret clauses of the treaties of 1831. In times certain agreements from former times were maintained, which reserve, as well to England as to Germany, the right to occupy a Belgian fortress. In 1887 a great English newspaper—if I am not mistaken, it was the Standard—declared that employment on the part of Germany of the right of way through Belgium could not be taken as in violation of Belgian neutrality."

Two Extremes if Allies Fall. LONDON, Jan. 2.—Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent sends the following dispatch received from Budapest:

"Count Stephan Tiesza, the Hungarian premier, addressing the members of the government party, said: 'If our enemies insist on continuing the absolutely purposeless slaughter, we shall continue hostilities either until we succeed in convincing them of the uselessness and hopelessness of the war or until the impulse of self preservation induces the nations which are being sent to slaughter to turn against their governments and make an end of the war.'"

WAR ONLY REPLY TO FOE, VIEW OF GERMAN PAPERS

Press Says Peace Is Impossible After Scornful Answer from the Allies.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Comments of the German papers on the entente reply to the German peace proposal are sent by Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam, as indicating the universal conviction that peace now is impossible and that the central powers must continue to prosecute the war with the utmost vigor.

The Berlin Lokal Anzeiger considers that nobody will be shocked by the entente's refusal to accept the proposal. "But," it adds, "every one will be surprised and shocked at the shallow, levity, and mendacity of the reasons given for the refusal, and it is difficult to explain how ten serious men were able to affix their signatures to the document without blushing. Our answer can only be given on the battlefield."

Calls Warfare Only Rejoinder. The Voessische Zeitung says: "All possibility of further negotiations has disappeared under this scornful reply. There is only one rejoinder—namely, warfare until the cold steel of our arms has brought the fever temperature of our enemies down to something near normal."

The Berlin Tageblatt says: "We would have written gladly 'Peace be unto thee' over the gate of the new year, but it would be childish to seek in the entente's reply any expressions but those of an absolute 'no.' Who in the world can now doubt that the entente plans, which stand at the dismemberment of Germany, Austria-Hungary, and Turkey, will be resolutely repelled by the German people?"

The Kreuz Zeitung says: "The form of the entente's rejection makes it an insult. Our reply can only be given with the sword."

Aim to Subdue Germany. The Vorwaerts says: "Since our enemies desire to continue the war, no choice remains to the German people. There will be no illusion that behind the refusal lies the hope of finally being able to lay Germany prostrate. It is to the interest of the whole German people to frustrate this design."

The Rheinische Westfälische Zeitung says: "The German people to a man will gather around Von Hindenburg. The last plea for indulgence falls to the ground. All our sharp weapons must come into use on the land and sea and in the air. We know the points where Great Britain is vulnerable."

The Cologne Gazette's Berlin correspondent considers that no way is left open for further negotiations, and adds: "It is not yet decided what the German committee will do, but it is not improbable that Germany will precisely define the German view direct to the neutrals."

GERMANS MINE BRITISH PORTS

New Attempt to Bottle Up
Isles—Report Supply
Ships Blown Up.

LINER GEORGIC LOST?

New York, Jan. 2.—(Special.)—Germany has begun another attempt to bottle up England from the outside world in retaliation for her own isolation by the British fleet.

Passengers on the Holland-America liner Nieuw Amsterdam, which arrived tonight from Rotterdam and Falmouth, said that mines containing exceptionally high explosives have been planted by the Germans close to all the large harbors in England, Scotland, and Wales. Those who came from England say they heard reports of vessels loaded with supplies from this country being blown up at the gateways to the United Kingdom, but that the facts were being concealed by the authorities.

White Star Liner Overdue. There was much anxiety in shipping circles today over the nonappearance of several vessels. Among them is the White Star line freighter Georgic, one of the largest cargo carriers in the world, which left Philadelphia on Dec. 28 for Brest and Liverpool. It has been out thirty-one days. It was due at Liverpool Dec. 18.

At the White Star line offices it was said that the Georgic was expected to show up safe. An insurance of nearly \$1,000,000 on the cargo was placed in this country.

Trawler Blown to Bits. The Nieuw Amsterdam had to nose its way in the wake of a trawler to get into Falmouth, and Capt. Baron, its master, not only confirmed the passengers' statements about mine laying, but he told how a trawler was blown to bits half an hour before the Nieuw Amsterdam put in there. Of the twelve men aboard seven were killed. The other five were picked up half dead by a patrol boat.

BRITISH STEAMER LOST; CREW SAFE

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The British steamer Nestorian is aground, and Lloyd's says it will be a total loss. It is reported that a boat with thirty of the crew has been picked up and that all the rest of the crew are safe.

The Nestorian left Galveston Dec. 13 for Liverpool. It was a freight steamer owned by F. Leyland & Co., hailed from Liverpool, and was of 6,295 gross tonnage.

The omission from the foregoing dispatch of the locality where it was wrecked probably is due to the British government's ban on shipping reports.

Gas Comparison Today. Figures showing the comparative values of the gas now sold by the People's Light and Coke company and the "heat" it produces, will be presented today to the committee on gas, oil, and electric light.

S. W. Berns, the committee's expert, will present a report prepared by the federal bureau of standards upon tests he requested be made.

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ENTENTE'S TO WILSON NOTE IS DUE

Copy Awaits Approval
and Russia—Allies
to Berlin on the

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The reply of the entente to the German peace note, which has been approved by France, Britain, and as no change suggested thus far from the United States, is not, it is said, likely to be received by Paris within a short time. It is understood here that the note is to be handed to Mr. Balfour, who is to be the first to read it. However, Belgium, which at the last moment threatened to add to the central powers, and similar delays may occur in the way to President Wilson.

Little Differences. In its present form the note is the same length as the neutral powers and has the characteristics of general and vague.

One of the most important differences between the present peace proposals and the previous ones is that the neutrals are now to be asked to choose between the two proposals by concluding the peace which will pave the way to the original draft.

to the central powers, largely in France, Foreign Secretary Balfour also has had a part in it, particularly in phrases asking to be studied for the benefit of public neutrals.

SEND BELGIAN ALIEN. Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—The reply rejecting the peace proposals was cables department today for Germany and the other neutrals whose diplomatic status is being studied.

To save time the cable station was dispatched to Ambassador Balfour's office to get the French text. It was authoritative, the day that President Wilson decided what, if any, further interest of peace he might keep an open mind on while waiting for the entente's note proposing a discussion by the belligerents.

No official comment on press reports from Paris that the reply to the peace would be the same as the central powers.

GREAT LAKES
SHIP SALF
FRANCE I

The United States Coast Guard decision of yesterday in the case of the coal company against the and St. Lawrence Transportation company, before Judge Landis, has been reversed on appeal.

Another decision reversed by the court, which had enjoined car employees union from Indianapolis. The lower court granted the injunction against the union.

ITALY FIGHT
ARMY O.

ROME, Jan. 2.—From the three Austrian divisions 600 men are kept in Italian front, says an edition issued today.

The statement adds, entered the war it has square miles of territory won from 500 to 675 aggregate of 1,675 miles lines.

War material is being by 2,170 Italian factories, 40,000 workers, including women.

The Austrian prison 85,000, the statement adds.

EARL CURT
MRS. DUGG

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Earl Curzon of Kedworth, Grace Elvina Duggan took to London today. A party followed.

Curzon is a member of the war council and former of India. His first wife, daughter of Lord Curzon, died in 1906.

Curzon's daughter, a native of India, formerly Ambassador in Brazil. Her first husband, Duggan of Buenos Aires.

Alleged Wife Det. Processed. Helena died a former wife of Lord Curzon. He is alleged to have been in the possession of her wife's letters, which were found in a box of hers what it was about June 2, 1906, the contents of not taking to the affairs.

SANITARY
POWDER

ENTENTE'S REPLY TO WILSON PEACE NOTE IS DUE SOON

Copy Awaits Approval of Italy and Russia—Allies' Answer to Berlin on the Way.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The final draft of the reply of the entente to President Wilson's peace note, which already has been approved by France and Great Britain, and as no changes have been suggested thus far from those quarters, it is not improbable the note will be delivered to American Ambassador Sharp in Paris within a short time. It is understood here that the note may possibly be handed to Mr. Sharp tomorrow.

However, Belgium made her request at the last moment that the statement of her case be added to the reply to the central powers, and similar additions or delays may occur in the case of the note to President Wilson.

Little Differences in Note.
In its present form the reply is about the same length as the note to the central powers and has the same characteristics of general and guarded language.

One of the most important points is a differentiation between peace among the present belligerents and such future arrangements as may be made for permanent peace, the purpose being to show neutral upholders of a future permanent peace that this is attainable not alone by first concluding the present war but also by concluding the kind of a peace which will pave the way for a permanent peace.

While the original draft, like the reply to the central powers, was written to apply in France, Foreign Secretary Balfour also has had a considerable part in it, particularly in regard to phrases seeking to elucidate the situation for the benefit of public opinion in neutral countries.

SEND BERLIN ALLIES' REPLY.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—The entente reply rejecting the peace proposal of the central powers was cabled by the state department today for presentation to Germany and the other belligerent governments whose diplomatic interests the United States represents at this capital.

To save time the cabled English translation was dispatched from here and Ambassador Sharp was instructed to forward the French text direct from Paris.

It was authoritatively stated during the day that President Wilson had not decided what, if any, further move in the interest of peace he might make, but was keeping an open mind on the subject while waiting for the entente's answer to his own proposal of a discussion of terms by the belligerents.

No official comment was forthcoming on press reports from Paris, indicating that the reply to the president in effect would be the same as that given the central powers.

GREAT LAKES SHIP SALE TO FRANCE ILLEGAL

The United States Court of Appeals upheld the decision of the lower court yesterday in the case of the Scranton Coal company against the Great Lakes Ship Sales Corporation. The lower court had granted the injunction to the coal company to restrain the transportation company from selling ships of the United States to France.

Judge Landis granted a restraining order and the appellate court upheld it.

Another decision reversed the lower court, which had enjoined the street car employees from striking in Indianapolis. The lower court had granted the injunction to the Indianapolis Traction and Terminal company.

ITALY FIGHTING ARMY OF 500,000
ROME, Jan. 2.—From thirty to forty-five Austrian divisions—300,000 to 315,000 men—are kept engaged along the Italian front, says an official communication issued today.

The statement adds that since Italy entered the war it has conquered 1,200 square miles of territory, shortening the war front from 500 to 375 miles, with an aggregate of 1,875 miles of entrenched lines.

War material is being manufactured by 2,170 Italian factories, employing 400,000 workers, including nearly 73,000 women.

EARL CURZON AND MRS. DUGGAN WED
LONDON, Jan. 2.—The marriage of Earl Curzon of Kedleston and Mrs. Grace Elvina Duggan took place privately in London today. A small luncheon party followed.

Lord Curzon is a member of the British war council and formerly was viceroy of India. His first wife, Mary Victoria, daughter of Lord Z. Letter of Chicago, died in 1906.

Countess Curzon, a native of Alabama, is the eldest daughter of the late J. Munroe Hilde, former American minister in Brazil. Her first husband was Alfred Duggan of Buenos Aires.

Alleged Wife Debauched Him.
"Whereas Hilde died a will of complaint to the superior court yesterday against his wife, Mrs. Lillian Hilde, charging her with conspiracy to defraud him of his estate of his wife's divorce from the late John P. Novotny, the lawyer, whom he married, of not taking proper interest in affairs."

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VATICAN SPEAKS

Pontiff's New Year's Message Is That Peace May Come by Divine Grace and Man's Good Will.

New York, Jan. 2.—The vatican's prayer for the New Year is that by Divine Grace and man's good will peace may blossom forth.

Such was the expression voiced in a cable message received by the United Press today from Cardinal Gasparri, papal secretary of state at Rome. The message was as follows:

"ROME, Jan. 1.—May the small olive branch which has begun to appear on earth toward the end of the year now past, thanks to Divine Grace and good will of men, grow steadily and bring the beneficial fruits of peace for which the whole world longs. CARDINAL GASPARRI."

BELGIANS' KING THANKS WILSON

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—Gratitude for American assistance to the Belgians was conveyed to President Wilson in a New Year's message from King Albert of Belgium received at the White House today. It says:

"In offering you, Mr. President, my most sincere wishes for the new year, I am happy to avail myself of this opportunity to thank the great American nation and its president for the sympathy shown my country."

"The generous and efficient assistance of North America not only inspires in the Belgians a great gratitude; it gives them the hope that the United States will always remain a powerful protector of Belgium."

ALLIES IN A YEAR CAPTURE 580,000

ON THE FRENCH FRONT IN FRANCE, Jan. 2.—During last year, according to authoritative figures, 78,000 Germans were captured on the French front by the French and 40,000 by the British, while in Serbia and Macedonia the entente allied armies took 1,173 Bulgarians and Turks prisoner. During the same period the Italians made prisoner of 2,250 Austrians, while the Russians captured more than 400,000 Germans and Austrians.

OFFICIAL REPORTS ON RESULTS OF EUROPEAN BATTLES

ROUMANIAN FRONT

GERMAN

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—Front of Archduke Joseph-South of the Trotus valley, the much disputed Mount Faltucan ridge of heights came into German possession through a vigorous attack.

Along the valleys leading from the Berick mountains to the Sereth, our attacks threw the enemy further back. Our troops stormed at the point of the bayonet several heights positions on both sides of the Otus valley. So far, in the Susta valley, was taken. Russian and Roumanian advances were repelled. Three hundred prisoners were brought in.

Army group of Field Marshal von Mackensen—The Ninth army is sharply pressing the enemy and, defeating his rear guards, has forced the Russians to retreat further.

From the west and south, German and Austro-Hungarian troops are approaching the bridgehead positions near Pokshani and Fudent. More than 1,300 prisoners and much war material remained in the hands of the indefatigable pursuers.

Between the Buzen and the Danube, the enemy maintains his bridgehead. East of Braila, in Dolrudja, German and Bulgarian troops captured tenaciously defended Russian positions and threw the enemy back to Matchin. In the engagement, Pomeranian Reserve Infantry Regiment No. 9 distinguished itself.

AUSTRIAN

VIENNA, Jan. 2.—The armies of central powers, fighting rearguard engagements, pushed back the enemy into prepared positions southwest of Braila and in the direction of Rimnik Serat (in northern Wallachia).

In the upper valleys of the Zabala, Naraja and Putna rivers (in Moldavia) Field Marshal Lieut. Von Ruit's Austro-Hungarian and German troops are making progress by the attack.

In the district of Hargha our battalions stormed several positions, one after another. The enemy is defending every yard of ground.

BULGARIAN

SOFIA, Jan. 2.—In Dobrudja our artillery sank a hostile tugboat near Tulchita. The docks and ships at Sulina were bombarded. A direct hit on a hostile transport steamer was observed.

The offensive against the Matchin bridgehead in Dobrudja. After tenacious fighting Height 100 east of Matchin, was captured. Prisoners to the number of 200, four mountain guns, and five machine guns were taken.

In eastern Wallachia our divisions crossed the Buzen-Braila railroad and are at a distance of eighteen kilometers from Braila.

RUSSIAN

PETROGRAD, Jan. 2.—On the Moldavian frontier the enemy attempted an offensive in the region of height 2,600, but was dispersed by a counter attack by our field posts. Several prisoners were taken. An enemy company which had taken the village of Rakolach also was beaten back by our fire.

On the Roumanian front the Roumanians who, at first were pressed back by stubborn enemy attacks on the front north and south of the river Kasino, eight versts east from the Hungarian frontier, regained their position by counter attack and still firmly retain it notwithstanding continuous and fierce attacks by the enemy.

In the region of Andrea and Chudchich, twelve versts south of the confluence of the rivers Putna and Zabala, the enemy pressed back our advanced cavalry detachments and occupied the above village. Our troops during the night, without pressure from the enemy's flank, took up new positions which had been prepared beforehand.

In Dobrudja our detachments withdrew to new positions. Regarding the operations in the valley of the river Foltuku, it is now reported that by our counter attacks we took prisoner three officers and more than 200 men.

FRENCH FRONT

FRENCH

PARIS, Jan. 2.—The artillery action was quite active on the Harcourt-Besnoy front, intermittent on the rest of the front.

On the whole Belgian front there was quite heavy artillery activity on both sides. The Belgian batteries successfully shelled east of Ramscapelle, Dixmude, and Steenstraet.

BRITISH

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Early this morning a strong hostile patrol reached our trenches east of Vermelles. It was repulsed with the loss of half its number. Under cover of a heavy bombardment a strong enemy patrol of some forty men endeavored to approach our lines last night north of Ypres. The few men who succeeded in reaching our trenches were immediately ejected.

There was considerable artillery activity at intervals during the day and last night at different points of the front between the Somme and Ancre and southeast of Ypres. Effective counter battery work was carried out at these points and also bombardments of enemy positions in the neighborhood of Neuve Chapelle and Armentieres.

GERMAN

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—Army of Field Marshal Duke Albrecht of Wurttemberg—in the Ypres salient there was a lively artillery duel. British hand grenade attacks were repulsed.

Army group of the German crown prince—in the Champagne, in the Argonne forest and on the east bank of the Meuse (Verdun region), German raiding detachments and patrols entered French trenches and returned, as had been ordered, with prisoners and booty. A large British airplane fell into our hands.

RUSSIAN

PETROGRAD, Jan. 2.—Along the sector in the neighborhood of the village of Ponikvotay, southwest of Brody, the enemy opened a fierce fire with rifles and machine guns, and advanced in groups. He was driven back into his intrenchments by our fire.

Attempts by the enemy to assume the offensive in the region of Gakalove forest and the village of Jaroslav were frustrated by our fire.

GERMAN

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—Front of Prince Leopold—Enterprises conducted by Russian raiding detachments south of Riga, southwest of Dvinsk, and west of Stanislas were without success.

ITALIAN FRONT

ITALIAN

ROME, Jan. 2.—Along the whole front, in answer to the activity of the enemy's artillery, our batteries kept the Austrian trenches and lines of communication under heavy fire. We succeeded in causing an explosion in an artillery ammunition depot near Castagnavizza, on the Carso plateau.

At midnight Sunday and during yesterday the enemy persistently shelled the town of Gorizia, causing only material damage.

The hostile aircraft attempted raids on the Trieste Campi plateau in the Salsburg valley and on the Carso. One enemy machine was brought down behind the enemy's lines by the fire of our anti-aircraft batteries.

AUSTRIAN

VIENNA, Jan. 2.—The enemy's artillery was active for a time in the night on the Carso plateau.

MACEDONIAN FRONT

GERMAN

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—There have been no important events on the Macedonian front.

BULGARIAN

SOFIA, Jan. 2.—Our airplanes successfully dropped bombs on hostile troops northeast of Florina, on the western end of the Macedonian front.

EGYPTIAN FRONT

TURKISH

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 2.—The British have spread reports about great victories near El Arish and Magdhab, exaggerating the number of prisoners and the amount of booty. El Arish was evacuated by us voluntarily and without a combat. Near Magdhab an engagement took place and our vanguards suffered losses.

The real importance of the British success is evident from the fact that the British already have evacuated Magdhab and retreated to El Arish.

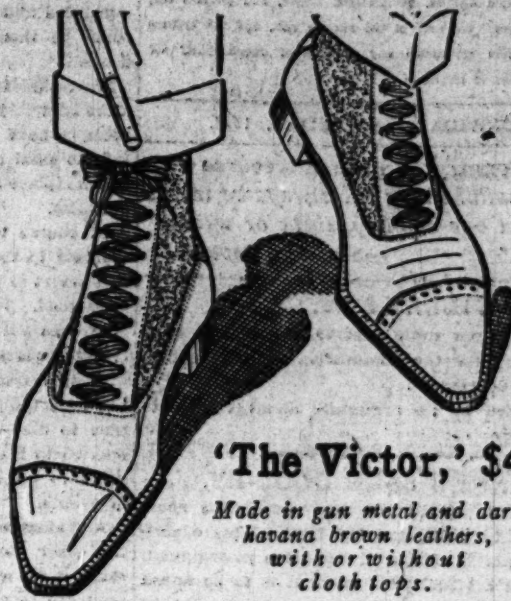
CAUCASIAN FRONT

RUSSIAN

PETROGRAD, Jan. 2.—Near the station of Sakker, which is twenty-five versts northwest of Kalkis, our scouting parties annihilated an enemy field post. In the region of Kalkis, sixty versts northeast of Revandus, a snowstorm has been in progress for four days.

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COMPACT WITH MEXICO FAILURE; TO RECALL ARMY?

Gen. Carranza Won't Agree to Protocol for Troop Withdrawal and Border Guard.

(Continued from first page.)

tion over it show that President Wilson yielded to Carranza on every important point raised, and still was unable to bring about an agreement.

Why Carranza refused to sign the protocol is puzzling official Washington. The only solution regarded as probable is the provision made in article 5 which states "the territory evacuated by the American troops shall be occupied and adequately protected by the Constitutional forces."

It is believed Carranza knew he had no adequate forces to use for this purpose, and therefore insisted that even this qualification be eliminated from the provision concerning the withdrawal of Gen. Pershing's command.

Arredondo Goes to Mexico.
Great significance was attached to the formal announcement by Eliseo Arredondo, Mexican ambassador designate, that he was leaving for Mexico at the request of Gen. Carranza. Beton P. Denegri, formerly Mexican consul general at San Francisco, will have charge of the embassy during his absence.

Mr. Arredondo left Washington at 6:15 o'clock tonight for St. Louis. Before leaving he said he expected to return in about three weeks. The fact that Mr. Arredondo left his family here is not regarded as conclusive evidence that he has not been recalled formally.

According to Mr. Arredondo, he was called to Mexico City for a conference and his going was entirely apart from developments in connection with the work of the joint commission.

Big Carranza Victory.
Chihuahua City, Mex., Jan. 2.—In a battle that lasted three days government forces have won a decisive victory over a rebel command near Guerrero, with the loss to Villa of twenty-five men dead, 140 prisoners, and an immense amount of loot, while another important success was registered at the same time at Bustamante, south of Santa Rosalia, where the rebels left behind them more than sixty dead and a quantity of supplies.

Villistas Loot Town.
Laredo, Tex., Jan. 2.—Villa followers have captured and looted the town of Sahama, Hidalgo, south of Villadama, between Laredo and Monterey, according to advices reaching the border today. No loss of life resulted, it was said.

De Facto Troops Retake Torreon.
MEXICO CITY, Jan. 2.—The war department announced tonight that Tor-

PROTOCOL

Text of Agreement of American-Mexican Joint Commission Calling for Withdrawal of American Troops in Mexico and Outlining Program for Guarding Border Which Carranza Has Refused to Comply With.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 2.—Following is the text of the protocol of agreement regarding withdrawal of American troops from Mexican territory and the protection of the American-Mexican international boundary, signed by the American and Mexican joint commission at Atlantic City on Nov. 24 and which Carranza refuses to comply with:

"Memorandum of an agreement signed this 24th day of November, 1916, by Franklin Lane, George Gray, and John R. Mott, special commissioners of the president of the United States of America, and Luis Cabrera, Ygnacio Bonilla, and Alberto J. Pani, special commissioners of the citizen first chief of the Constitutional army intrusted with the executive power of the Mexican nation.

"Article 1. The government of the United States agrees to begin the withdrawal of American troops from Mexican soil as soon as practicable, such withdrawal, subject to the further terms of this agreement, to be completed not later than January 1, 1917, forty days after the approval of this agreement by both governments.

"Article 2. The American commander shall determine the manner in which the withdrawal shall be effected, so as to insure the safety of the territory affected by the withdrawal.

"Article 3. The territory evacuated by the American troops shall be occupied and adequately protected by the Constitutional forces, and such evacuation shall take place when the Constitutional forces have taken position to the south of the American forces, so as to make effective such occupation and protection. The Mexican commissioners shall determine the plan for the occupation and protection of the territory evacuated by the American forces.

"Article IV.—The American and Mexican commanders shall deal separately, or, wherever practicable, in friendly cooperation, with any obstacles which may arise tending to delay the withdrawal. In case there are any further activities of the forces inimical to the constitutional government which threaten the safety of the international border along the northern section of Chihuahua, the withdrawal of American forces shall not be delayed beyond the period strictly necessary to overcome such activities.

"Article V.—The withdrawal of American troops shall be effected by marching to Columbus or by using the Mexican Northwestern railroad to El Paso.

recon had recaptured by Gen. Fortunato Maycotte after a bitter fight, the followers of Villa being defeated in a four hour battle.

Verify Americans' Deaths.
El Paso, Tex., Jan. 2.—Refugees arriving here today from Santa Rosalia, La Boquilla, Jiminez, and Parral brought additional confirmation of the killing of Howard Gray, ex Weeks Dr. C. H. Fisher, and the disappearance of Alexander Ricau.

ENVOY GOING TO MEXICO?



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or by both routes, as may be deemed most convenient or expedient by the American commander.

"Article VI.—Each of the governments parties to this agreement shall guard its side of the international boundary. This, however, does not preclude such cooperation on the part of the military commanders of both countries as may be practicable.

"Article VII.—This agreement shall take effect immediately upon approval by both governments. Notification of approval shall be communicated by each government to the other.

In testimony thereof we have signed, sealed, and interchanged reciprocally this protocol of agreement, at reference in the English and Spanish languages, at Atlantic City, N. J., this 24th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

Three Boys Buried Alive in Cave on New Year's Day
Newport News, Va., Jan. 2.—Three little boys were buried alive here today in a tunnel they had dug beneath a bluff at the edge of Casino park, overlooking James river. They were missed when they failed to return to their homes for New Year's dinner.

MORE PAPERS BOOST PRICES

Chillicothe, O., Jan. 2.—Because of the increased cost of print paper the Chillicothe Gazette today announced that beginning Jan. 15 the price of its editions will be 5 instead of 3 cents.

Muncie Papers Increase.
Muncie, Ind., Jan. 2.—Announcement was made here today by the publishers of the Muncie Evening Press and the Morning Star of an increase in the price of these papers from 6 cents to 10 cents per week because of the higher cost of print paper and other materials used.

Chicago Leads All Cities in Park Possibilities

Chicago leads all other cities of the United States in character, quality, and number of public playgrounds and field houses, and, with proper energy, could lead all cities in boating and bathing facilities, according to Horace W. Passlee of Washington, D. C., last night at the Hotel La Salle. He is the official landscape architectural designer of public buildings and grounds of Washington, and is gathering data for the erection and establishment of public recreation grounds for the national capital.

Hub Adds Twenty Per Cent to Annual Bonus

Pursuant to their custom of twenty years, Henry C. Lytton & Sons, owners of The Hub, will present an annual bonus to those employees who have been with the house for two years or more. Because of the high prices, the bonus will be increased 20 per cent over the amount of last year.

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The great production in the automobile industry, where thousands of cars are manufactured annually has been made possible by well planned conveyors and elevators. For instance, Willys-Overland, Ford and other cars are assembled on continuously moving conveyors, piece by piece being added by the assemblers at established points in the course of the conveyor, which moves frame after frame along through the assembling room at a rate which allows proper time to make the various additions. Everything is planned for the highest ultimate efficiency mechanically, with the greatest convenience and least strain for the men.

One great reason for the efficiency and popularity of modern conveying machinery is the fact that the process is so continuous that the steady stream of small quantities handled by the rapid succession of individual conveying flights or buckets, will transport a large volume in the course of a day, although the machinery

BILL BY MADISON TO URGE RECALL FOR GUARDS

Illinoisan Would Call on Tears to Replace M... at the Border.

BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT
Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—The return of the national guard from the border and their recall by an army that would not be provided for in a bill will be introduced in the house by Representative Madden of Illinois.

Proposes Volunteer Army
Madden proposes the formation of a volunteer army that would be provided for in a bill. The bill will provide that the issue of a call for volunteers, will be required to serve longer than a regular army man and to occupy in every respect the same as that held by the volunteer guard who wish to remain border.

Officers of the regular army national guard would command new troops and they would be paid as the national guard. Their pay would be the same as that of the regular army men and they would be paid in every respect the same as that held by the volunteer guard who wish to remain border.

Scheme Success in 1917
This would not be a new organization. The scheme was tried with success in 1916, the subjugation of the insurgents was being completed. The war department is not looking with favor on the proposal.

THE CONTINENTAL A HOBSON C

Richmond P. Hobson is a "sophisticated statesman" and an expert on national prohibition. "In the opinion of the Continent, a Presbyterian periodical."

The form which the temperance movement has taken in the lower house, it is said, "is an inheritance of the temperance movement of the 19th century, who unfortunately have been misled by the lower house of congress in the question of national prohibition." But Mr. Hobson has his way to other occupations. He has a plan for the prohibition of the lower house of congress. He has a plan for the prohibition of the lower house of congress. He has a plan for the prohibition of the lower house of congress.

LINE UP STATE FOR SUFFRAGE

Every county in Illinois is to be organized by the Illinois suffrage association for the purpose of winning two elections. The association is a constitutional convention of the women are convinced that the national convention resolution passed by the legislature. The election on the proposed constitution, which the women have to vote on, is a woman suffrage clause. Mrs. Grace Wilbur Trout, president of the association, said that the women are convinced that the national convention resolution passed by the legislature. The election on the proposed constitution, which the women have to vote on, is a woman suffrage clause.

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BILL BY MADDEN TO URGE RELIEF FOR GUARDSMEN

Madsen Would Call on Volunteers to Replace Militia at the Border.

(BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.)
Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—The return of the national guardsmen from the border and their replacement by an army that would volunteer for the period of the Mexican emergency will be provided for in a bill that soon will be introduced in the house by Representative Madden of Illinois.

Representative Madden and fully four-fifths of the members of congress have taken cognizance of the hardship that is being worked on the national guard since the secretary rescinded his order regarding the return of students in September.

Proposes Volunteer Army.
Madden proposes the formation of a volunteer army that would serve only for the period of the Mexican trouble. The bill will provide that the president may call for volunteers, who will not be required to serve longer than a year, and for a shorter period if the Mexican trouble is cleared up by that time.

The three would be made up both of new volunteers and of those members of the guard who wish to remain at the border.

Scheme Success in 1898.

This would not be a new departure

a new organization. The same scheme

was tried with success in 1898 at the

time the subjugation of the Philippine

islands was being completed.

The war department is not inclined

to look with favor on the proposed bill.

THE CONTINENT

AHOBSON CRITIC

Richmond P. Hobson is called a

"sophisticated statesman" and his bill

for national prohibition declared to have

"loopholes" in it in an editorial in the

Continental, a Presbyterian church

periodical.

"The form which the temperance bill

has in the lower house," the editorial

says, "is an inheritance from the

sophisticated statesmanship of Richmond

P. Hobson, who unfortunately had the

leadership of the temperance wing in

the lower house of congress when the

question of national prohibition was up

before. But Mr. Hobson has now gone

his way to other occupations and his

work could be more easily secured if

there were opened through it an obvious

loophole for evasion will hardly appeal

to those who have seen through the

ingenious and evasive prohibition with its

remotely distant victory in the last autumn."

The editorial urges that the senate

form of the temperance bill be intro-

duced in the house. The senate bill ex-

pressly condemns the manufacture, im-

portation, or exportation of liquor for

beverage purposes, while the Hobson

bill prohibits the manufacture of liquor

in the purpose of sale.

Mr. Hobson has taken up his residence

in Brandon.

LINE UP STATE

FOR SUFFRAGE

Every county in Illinois is to be thor-

oughly examined by the Illinois Equal

franchise association for the purpose of

winning two elections. The first is the

one on a constitutional convention, as

the women are convinced that the con-

stitutional convention resolution will be

passed by the legislature. The second is

the election on the proposed new consti-

tution, which the women believe will

include a woman suffrage clause.

Miss Grace Wilbur Trout, state presi-

dent, and Mrs. J. W. McGraw, chair-

man of the legislative committee, will

go to Springfield as soon as the legis-

lature is organized. They will work for

the passage of the constitutional conven-

tion resolution.

There will be a rival suffrage camp

at Springfield, however, presided over

by Mrs. Catherine Waugh McCulloch.

It will be her purpose to have a suf-

frage amendment introduced in accord-

ance with her custom for twenty-six

years. This effort will be opposed by

Mr. Trout and her group.

The state organization work is under

the direction of Miss Katherine Porter.

A large committee of downstate women

will start at once on this work.

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SAYS FOE CANNOT STARVE GERMANY OR OUTWEAR HER

Writer Asserts Allied Blockade Is a Failure—Roumanian Booty Aid.

This is the fifth of a series of articles by Mr. Glogauer on personal observations in Germany during the war. Mr. Glogauer, for many years a Chicago journalist, was in Munich when the war started. He returned to America last autumn.

BY FRITZ GLOGAUER.

While it is undoubtedly true that the German people suffered for the want of many things which before the war were deemed indispensable, they were so far removed from actual starvation or famine that the long distance English blockade must be pronounced an absolute failure. An unconditional surrender from that cause is entirely out of the question.

When I left Germany three months ago I and my family had been inconvenienced a little, but not to any alarming extent. Since that time Roumanian has been conquered and will be made to supply not only a great amount of food and cattle feed, but also sufficient quantities of crude oil and gasoline.

Should the war last much longer the fertile fields of Roumanian will be cultivated as extensively by German soldiers as those of Belgium, northern France, Poland, and Lithuania have been worked. Cotton will be raised in Asia Minor. The idea of "starving out" Germany will have to be abandoned.

Call Attrition Plan Failure.

Not more successful will be the plan of "attrition." The loss of men is surely appalling, but it is by no means greater on the part of the central powers than on that of the allies. On the contrary, the Russian losses are out of all proportion to the total number and France has been compelled to draft old men and young boys.

Germany, however, of her allies I am not competent to judge by personal observation—has not overstepped the limits set for herself at the outbreak of the war. No man of more than 45 years of age has been compelled to serve under the colors, and no youth under the legal recruiting age of 20 has been levied.

300,000 Recruits a Year.

Germany did not keep more than 1 per cent of her population in the active army. There were only about 300,000 men recruited annually, the infantry serving two and the cavalry three years. The natural supply of able bodied young men being considerably larger, these were not needed at once reserved for possible future use. This "strategic reserve" must not be confused with the real reserve consisting of the men who have been in the army two or three years and are liable to serve six weeks every year after they have been mustered out.

There was, besides, a large number of men assigned to the "untrained landsturm." Not all men of the latter class could be converted into real soldiers, being too old and stiff for long marches and strenuous service in the trenches, but they could relieve the real soldiers of many arduous labors such as digging and roadmaking. The drilled ex-soldiers who are 40 to 45 years old form the "trained landsturm" and are used mostly for guarding the numerous prisoners of war.

These husbanding her resources Germany.

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MAY TAX MORE GOODS TO COVER DEFICIT OF U. S.

Administration Leaders Work on Plans to Extend and Increase Tariff.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—The problem of raising additional revenue for the government to avoid the threatened deficit at the end of the next fiscal year has assumed such proportions that administration leaders in congress are considering the advisability of placing tariff duties on other commodities than coffee, rubber, and wool and increasing the present tariff on sugar.

Revenues from these four sources will fall far below the sum needed, unless there is a radical revision upward of the tariff duties originally proposed on them.

Estimates by treasury department experts re said to show that under a maximum tariff of 5 per cent these four commodities would yield not more than \$50,000,000 annually, and probably not more than \$45,000,000. Secretary McAdoo estimates \$120,000,000 will have to be raised by taxation, in addition to proposed bond issues.

Tax on Smaller Goods.

The chief remaining articles on the free list, not eliminated by the policy of non-disturbance of such big industries as the iron and steel trade, include cocoa, drugs, undressed furs and skins, meats, oils, potatoes, silk, and tea. Other articles on the free list understood to have been virtually eliminated from consideration are copper and iron ore, leather, and steel products such as rails.

Original proposals under consideration involved placing an additional tariff of from 14 to 16 cents a pound on sugar and from 3 to 5 per cent of the value of wool, rubber, and coffee.

Specific Duty Is Urged.

Customs officials recommended strongly that the tariff, if imposed, be made specific, rather than ad valorem. If specific, a 3 to 5 per cent tariff on wool would amount to from four-fifths of 1 cent to 1 1/4 cents a pound, on rubber approximately from 2 to 3 cents, and on coffee from one-quarter to one-half of 1 cent.

Imports of sugar for the last fiscal year were approximately 5,300,000.

000 pounds, valued at \$219,000,000. A one-half cent increase would net \$24,500,000 increase in revenue. A tariff of 5 per cent on wool would net about \$2,500,000. On rubber a 5 per cent tariff would net approximately \$7,500,000.

H. Percy Miller Again Elected Press Club Head

H. Percy Miller, Chicago correspondent of the New York Times, was unanimously re-elected president at the annual election of the Press Club of Chicago, held yesterday. W. J. Shanks of the Examiner was chosen first vice president; David B. Clarkson, second vice president; James F. Stephens, treasurer; Robert Brewster, secretary, and Harry Hargis, librarian.

The following were elected directors for two years: Dr. George Cooke-Adams, Theodore Van R. Ashcroft, and F. A. Boetche.

For the one year term as director Charles N. Wheeler of THE TRIBUNE led with E. W. Pickard of the Western Newspaper Union second. Arthur Evans and Paul Williams, both of the Herald, received the same number of votes for the third vacancy.

Lays Downfall to Woman; Has Dead Wife's Jewels

Weeping bitterly and blaming a woman for his decline from the owner of several loop restaurants to a lodging house "bum," Arthur Ennis, arrested on a charge of using the mails to defraud, sat in his cell in the South Clark street station yesterday. He declared this woman now is wearing his dead wife's diamonds. Christmas eve he wrote a letter to his wealthy brother, John W. Ennis of Bay Shore, Long Island, N. Y., stating he was dead, and that his body would be given to a medical college unless burial expenses were forwarded. He signed the name of L. O. Ball, an undertaker at 502 South Dearborn street. The brother wrote the undertaker. The fraud was detected and Ennis arrested.

Too Many Husbands, So She Sues Last One

Mrs. Lillian C. Moore sued yesterday for an annulment of her Crown Point marriage to Charles Moore, alleging she is still the wife of William R. Jones.

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Popular With Go Guests at the Virginia are the privileges of the Virginia golf course, on the Los Angeles, a few minutes' ride from the city. The hotel is a most attractive place for the winter months. The hotel is a most attractive place for the winter months.

Famous Stretch of The Virginia is situated on the edge of the murmuring ocean. The hotel is a most attractive place for the winter months. The hotel is a most attractive place for the winter months.

Wonderful Motoring No other part of California offers so many opportunities for motoring. The hotel is a most attractive place for the winter months. The hotel is a most attractive place for the winter months.

Where Serenity Re Located as it is, right at the edge, an unobstructed view of the ocean and the surrounding country. The hotel is a most attractive place for the winter months. The hotel is a most attractive place for the winter months.

An Incomparable C The world affords no finer view of Southern California, but it is found favored spots, and the view of the most delightful. The hotel is a most attractive place for the winter months. The hotel is a most attractive place for the winter months.

Suggest Early Reser When visiting California a most attractive place for the winter months. The hotel is a most attractive place for the winter months.

'PORK' BUILDING BILL ATTACKED BY ARCHITECTS

American Institute Says No New Work Can Be Begun Before 1920.

(BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT)
Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—A vigorous attack on public buildings "pork," especially as contained in the bill pending before congress, is contained in the January issue of the Journal of the American Institute of Architects, issued tonight.

"No fight against the omnibus public buildings bill has ever assumed such proportions as that which now engages the attention of congress and the people of the United States," the article says. "The attacks are not by any means confined to the latest Congress. Congressman Fear of Wisconsin spoke at length on Jan. 7. His remarks have not been echoed in the vigor of their denunciation by anything that has appeared in the public press."

The statement of Representative Fitzgerald, Democrat of New York, that the present methods of passing public buildings bills are indefensible, was quoted, as well as the finding of Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo, that in the last few years many public buildings have been constructed where they are not needed.

No Building Before 1920.
"It is apparent," the article says, "that any buildings authorized at the present session of congress cannot be undertaken before the year 1920 at the present rate of progress. By that time the conditions in every one of the projects will have changed materially and an appropriation will have less relation than it does in the present better-skillet method of fixing a figure."

"The most complete and perfect testimony that the bill is 'pork' is disclosed by the fact that the committee on public buildings is proposing to appropriate money for buildings, the first of which cannot possibly be begun for three years. Again we point to these conditions as one of the paramount reasons why the public building policy of the United States should only be determined after a thorough investigation by an expert commission. Appropriating money is only a part of the problem. Planning and constructing the buildings promptly are also vital factors."

Some of the Appropriations.
"Louisiana, Ill., Chicago, Keok, and Plymouth, Pa., are given buildings in the present bill, where they had only sites in the previous bill. Lenox city, Tenn., with annual postal receipts of \$6,480, has the cost of its site increased from \$4,000 to \$10,000. Millen, Ga., with annual postal receipts of \$5,000, gets \$3,000 for a site."

"The large items are an increase in the appropriation for the postoffice at Fort Worth, Tex., of \$100,000 and \$90,000 for additional land for the site at Waco, Tex."

CHIEF COUNSEL

Col. Buckingham Will Advise Public Utilities Board.



Colonel George T. Buckingham

Col. George T. Buckingham was appointed yesterday chief counsel for the Illinois public utilities commission by Attorney General Enoch C. Sigsbee.

Col. Buckingham is one of the best known lawyers in the state. He was a protégé of the late William J. Calhoun, minister to China, and got his first spurs in the memorable campaign of 1896 when Calhoun swung the Illinois convention to William McKinley for president.

In 1908 Col. Buckingham began his law practice in Chicago and is now associated with the firm of DeForest, Buckingham & Eaton.

"I consider Col. Buckingham one of the ablest men in the country," said Mr. Sigsbee at night. "I consider myself fortunate to have been able to secure such a man for this important post under my administration."

UNION PROBLEM FOR METHODISTS

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 2.—After adopting a resolution that leaves open the door for future negotiations and sets June 27 as the date for the next spring meeting, the joint committee on unification of the Methodist Episcopal church and the Methodist Episcopal Church South adjourned today.

It is understood the disposition of the Negro Methodists was the one problem for which no solution was found.

Bishop Earl Cranston of the southern body was named chairman of a committee appointed to deal with this question and report at the next meeting.

TO FREE DR. HYDE OF PROSECUTION

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 2.—A formal order ending the prosecution of Dr. B. Clark Hyde on the charge of having murdered Col. Thomas H. Swopes, philanthropist, will be made Jan. 18, Judge E. B. Porterfield of the Criminal court announced here today. Judge Porterfield declared in court he was "convinced that the defendant on the record is not only entitled to a discharge but that the court must order it."

SAVE YOUR HAIR AND BEAUTIFY IT WITH 'DANDERINE'

Spend 25 cents! Dandruff disappears and hair stops coming out.

Try this! Hair gets beautiful, wavy and thick in few moments.

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life, has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine. Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scourge robs the hair of its luster, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast. If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter, apply a little as directed, and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. If eventually you are not new—Advertisement.

"TIZ" FOR TIRED AND SORE FEET

Use "Tiz" for puffed-up, burning, aching, calloused feet and corns.

Why go limping around with aching, puffed-up feet—feet so tired, chafed, sore and swollen you can hardly get your shoes on or off? Why don't you get a 25-cent box of "Tiz" from the drug store now and gladden your tortured feet?

"Tiz" makes your feet glow with comfort; takes down swellings and draws the soreness and misery right out of feet that chafe, smart and burn. "Tiz" instantly stops pain in corns, callouses and bunions. "Tiz" is glorious for tired, aching, sore feet. No more shoe tightness—no more foot torture—Advt.

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Published by The Cleveland Plain Dealer in 1916

This great volume of advertising exceeds The Plain Dealer's own record for 1915 by almost **TWO MILLION LINES** and is by far

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The Plain Dealer's Supremacy

together with the remarkable gain of almost TWO MILLION LINES during 1916 has been attained by its steady, continual growth and the constant appreciation of its value as an advertising medium that brings results.

This volume of advertising reflects the unusual prosperity in this big industrial community, and it shows also that the advertiser, whether local or national, display or classified, automobile or financial, recognizes The Plain Dealer as the ONE PAPER TO BE DEPENDED UPON FOR RESULTS.

Volume of Display

The Plain Dealer

printed 8,395,016 lines of Local and Foreign Display Advertising in 1916, an increase of 1,409,198 lines over 1915, and 318,234 more lines than appeared in any other Cleveland paper during 1916.

Volume of Circulation

The Plain Dealer's

Sunday circulation of 185,000 and Daily circulation of 145,000 is the LARGEST MORNING AND SUNDAY CIRCULATION BETWEEN NEW YORK AND CHICAGO.

Volume of Classified

The Plain Dealer

printed 549,434 separate Classified Advertisements during 1916, which is 172,177 more advertisements than appeared in any other Cleveland paper during 1916.

In justice to the evening papers all legal advertising is excluded.

The Plain Dealer

First Newspaper of Cleveland, Sixth City

Western Advertising Representatives:
JOHN GLASS
Peoples Gas Building, CHICAGO

Eastern Advertising Representatives:
JOHN B. WOODWARD
Times Building, NEW YORK

How \$12,000,000 a Year Are Distributed in Wages

MORE than twelve million dollars a year are paid by the Surface Lines in wages, \$9,000,000 of this amount going to conductors, motormen, the supervising force, car station crews and other employees directly engaged in the movement of cars.

The rapid and safe transportation of the millions who ride in the surface cars demands carefully constructed and very substantial tracks; and the thousand miles of steel roadway have to be kept up to insure the continued safety and comfort of the public. For the labor engaged in the construction and maintenance of these tracks the Surface Lines paid out last year over \$1,000,000.

In the electrical department skilled men keep careful watch over the powerful and complicated machinery, which provides the power for moving the cars, and see that the miles and miles of heavy transmission lines through which the power is distributed are properly strung and carefully maintained. More than half a million dollars a year are paid out for labor in this department.

And then there are the shops, where cars are rebuilt and repaired. These busy plants, employing expert carpenters, blacksmiths, painters and electricians, have a labor pay-roll of over \$600,000 a year.

At the numerous car stations, where the thousands of cars are stored, there are gangs of inspectors, pitmen, cleaners and laborers, who receive over \$800,000 a year in wages.

The impressive annual total of \$12,000,000 for wages establishes the Surface Lines as one of the greatest employers of well paid labor in Chicago.

CHICAGO SURFACE LINES
804 Boriand Building

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82nd silk remnant sale at Mandel's

rides high on the tide of public favor—and so extensive were the collections of odd lengths that today's offering will afford opportunities, in variety and savings, quite as remarkable as yesterday's. 200,000 yards of fashionable dependable silks about half price.

Second floor and subway.

Mandel Brothers

January sales specials, third floor.

Store hours: 8:30 to 5:30

3,700 new tub blouses in January sale

—voile and hdkf. linen \$3
—in up-to-date styles

A collection of notable interest, portraying, in every clever detail, the latest, smartest, aspects of fashion. Two typically fascinating models shown in the illustration.

Many are embroidered and trimmed with lace

Others are pin tucked; still others have plaits and hemstitched bosoms; a number made with large collars; some casaque style. All quite exceptional values, at \$3. Sizes range from 34 to 46.



Blouse shop, third floor

Jap. emb'd crepe kimonos

1.75

—handsomely embroidered in white. The assortment includes pink, blue, rose, lavender and navy; imported especially for the January sale. See the illustration.



White emb'd sacques, 68c
Japanese combing or bed sacques, elaborately embroidered in white; uncommonly low priced.

Third floor.

500 new washable dresses

2

Morning dresses of gingham and percale, in solid colors or smart stripes and checks; one style pictured.



Coverall aprons, 75c

—in light percales, assorted designs; buttoned down the side-front and belted all around.

Third floor.

New sports middies, 1.75

The new, smart 1917 sports middies in advance showing. Middies, hand smoked, coat effect and with all around belt, at 1.75.

"Garden smocks," 2.95

In white or colors, as pictured; finished with hand smoking and belt; several distinct new styles. Exceptional values.

Third floor.



Habutai petticoats, 2.95

Washable silk petticoats in two new spring models, as pictured; one "Jenny" style, with three small ruffles; the other with full flare flounce and plaited ruffle.

Choice of all-white and colors

Misses' habutai silk petticoats in 34 and 35 inch lengths, at 2.95.

Third floor.



35th Jan. sale of lingerie a vast success

—its popularity convincingly explained by the extremely low prices placed on merchandise of lofty quality.

Night dresses

—25 styles; 1.95

Simple or elaborately trimmed; in combination of lace and embroidery—many empire all around. See cut.

650 envelope chemises—12 styles—at 1.95

Ami-French lingerie at \$1

Night dresses, envelope chemises and straight chemises, all emb'd; copies of French models. Washable satin or lingerie sleeve bodices, \$1.

Ami-French corset covers, embroidered and scalloped back and front; 58c.

Third floor.

January sale of children's undermuslins

Children's slip-over gowns, \$1

They're of soft nainsook, with val. lace and embroidery; 2 to 14 yrs.; one style pictured.

Children's cambric gowns, 55c

These of cambric; high neck and long sleeves or low neck, short sleeves; 2 to 14 yrs. See picture.

Children's princess slips, 75c

—with val. lace and ribbon beading or emb. and ribbon beading; 8 to 14 yrs.

Knicker or straight leg style drawers; 2 to 14 yrs.; 25c.



Children's white petticoats, emb. edge; 4 to 14 yrs.; 50c. Envelope chemises, lace or emb. trimmed, \$1. Third floor.

Mandel's 50th Jan. sale of linens

an unqualified success—hundreds of efficient household managers already have pronounced it the season's great opportunity to replenish household supplies at notable economies. Today's features rich in fascinating possibilities.

Second floor and subway.

Millinery

The Southern Season Modes
A Prediction of
Fashions to Come



THE rays of southern sunshine have penetrated here and metamorphosed the Millinery Sections. In their delightful change they speak the first authoritative word of a new millinery season, as they present—

The New in Sports Hats—Some there are of Khaki Kool to match the suit or frock. Under southern skies, others will glow in rain-bow tinted crepes.

The first "straw" ballots are cast for brilliant garniture motifs on hats of braid-straws.

The New in Afternoon Hats—Millinery reveals every temperamental tendency, from the quaint and simple to the most bizarrely brimmed.

Burnt leghorn is combined with taffeta. A fashion fantasy brings hats with bags to match. Travel hats of satin are winged for flight southward and are the hats declared the mode for present wear here.

Fifth Floor, South

Carson Pirie Scott
and Company

Store opens at 8:30 A. M.—Closes at 5:30 P. M.

Marshall Field & Co

January Selling of Misses' Blouses

\$1.75 \$2.95 \$5.00 \$5.75



An excellent opportunity is afforded to select charming Blouses expressive of the new style influences. They are of crepe de Chine, chiffon and Georgette crepe, embroidered in silk, at \$5 and \$5.75; and wash Blouses of voiles, embroidered and trimmed with lace, at \$1.75 and \$2.95. The four Blouses illustrated are characteristic of the wide assortments and modish styles.

Sixth Floor, North Room

Special Discount on Dressmaking and Tailoring

for Southern and California Tourists

Models for Morning Frocks, Afternoon and Evening Costumes are now on display. From these will be evolved styles suited to the patron's own individuality.

Special discounts which prevail during the month of January afford considerable savings to those who make their selections at once. Just now, in the interim between the busy seasons, unhurried individual attention may be accorded each patron.

Ninth Floor.

RESORTS AND HOTELS



Spend your winter vacation in the pure, bracing air and sunshine at the Seashore and revel in the consciousness of increasing strength and vitality. Take a ride in the ever popular Boardwalk rolling chair, or a gallop over the level sands. The famous Boardwalk is always free of snow and slush regardless of conditions in your home city.

The Colter will find every opportunity to display his skill under perfect conditions, while a wide range of high class attractions, all within easy access of your hotel, unite to make your visit a memorable one.

THE LEADING HOUSES are always open and will furnish full information, rates, etc.

Marlborough-Blenheim, Chalmers, Sherburne, St. Charles, Wilshire, Glen Hall, Seaside, Strand, Dennis, Hollabury.

Consult local railroad ticket agents for complete details regarding train connections, schedules, etc.

RESORTS AND HOTELS



Live out of doors in the garden spot of the South. 18 Hole Golf Course (with green putting ground). Tennis, Riding.

NOW OPEN
Thos. C. Brooks, Mgr.

ROYAL PALACE
HOTEL & COTTAGES
on the Beach, ATLANTIC CITY, N.J.
NEAR ALL PIERCE & AMUSEMENTS.
"ORCHESTRA" DANCING.
EVERY CONVENIENCE FOR COMFORT AND PLEASURE.

ALAMAC HOTEL
Downtown, near the heart of Atlantic City.
Furnished, American and European plans. Hot and cold air, every bath, Grill, Orchestra, Garage. Capacity 100. Open all year. RACE LATER CO.

DAYTONA, FLA.
The Most Delightful Spot in Florida.
Furnished, American and European plans. Hot and cold air, every bath, Grill, Orchestra, Garage. Capacity 100. Open all year. RACE LATER CO.

New Year's Joy!

A Novel of Smiles

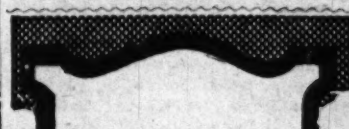
THE TWENTY-FOUR

Where I Took Them
and What They Did to Me

GEORGE FITZ'S comedy of the trials of a reporter who took the "winners" of a beauty contest abroad. Illustrated. \$1.25 net.

LITTLE, BROWN & CO., Boston

RESORTS AND HOTELS



REPUTATION

The reputation of a hotel depends upon what people say of it, and that depends largely upon the treatment they receive while there.

The Hollander reputation is based upon its unchanging standard of excellence in its 800 rooms; its three nationally famous restaurants; its numerous private dining rooms; its famous largest-in-Ohio Banquet Hall and Ball Room; the only individual floor service in Cleveland and its many other distinctive features.

European Plan, with bath: For One Person \$2 to \$3 For Two Persons \$3 to \$5 With Twin Beds \$4 to \$6 Rates at various prices.

The Hollander Hotel, Cleveland



For breakfast and lunch, Banquet, Dinner and Supper. Special rates for luncheon. Special rates for luncheon. Special rates for luncheon.

THE GEORGIAN TERRACE HOTEL, Atlanta, Ga. The Nation's famous for distinctive cuisine of plant, cuisine and service. It is minutes from the beautiful golf course of the South. Room 10. Cuisine, Mgr. S. S. Macpherson, Asst. Mgr.

CHICAGO'S FAMOUS SOUTH SIDE HOTEL CENTER CHICAGO BEACH HOTEL HOTEL DEL PRADO THE WINSTONIAN WYDE PARK HOTEL

Smart hats for California and southern tourists

Introducing new styles and materials in correct and distinctive headgear for southern travel.

Hats for afternoon, dance or sports wear

Bankoks, leghorns, panamas, manilas, ligers and other straws in effective combination with felt, satin, silk or crepe. The new khaki-kool effects, also, in pleasing showing.

The hat shop, fifth floor

Mandel Brothers

In Mandel's Subway—the January clearance of coats

January event of remarkable importance—to be signaled today by still further price reductions. Three important groups:

at 9.75

at 15

at 19.75

Extra! Every higher priced coat, of silk velour, plush or bolivia cloth, reduced to clear today at 24.75.

Subway store.

Subway apparel section
Mandel Brothers

STUDEBAKER

TODAY AND EVERY DAY 25, 50, 75c & \$1 TONIGHT 25c to \$1—A Fox, \$1.50-2.00

WILLIAM FOX presents

A DAUGHTER OF THE GODS

WITH ANNETTE KELLERMANN

The Picture Beautiful

Breaking all Records in Prestige Patronage HERE! NOW

Keeps Money in Bank. A man who keeps his money in the bank is a fool. A man who keeps his money in the bank is a fool. A man who keeps his money in the bank is a fool.

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FASHIONS
BLUEBOOK

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A Frock for the Dance.

BY HELEN MERRILL EMERY.

WITH the social season at its height interest naturally is centered upon evening frocks and what could be more appropriate than the exquisite model illustrated in the accompanying sketch? In keeping with the latest tendencies the skirt, moderately wide, reaches almost to the hem and the crowning touch of distinction is given by a long, narrow train of cloth of silver, which is cut in points above the waist line and attached to the edge of the décolleté. This touch of silver is repeated in a narrow stripe, and a similar band finishes the loose elbow sleeves.

There is an allure about these frocks of tulle and net that is essentially feminine, and they are strong rivals of the more dignified creations of velvet and brocade that predominated earlier in the season.

Another charming frock of tulle is fashioned of sapphire blue tulle with panels of brilliant. A beautiful contrast is seen in the drooping flowers, red violet in shade, which hang from the left of the corsage, and in floating lengths of apple green tulle. Older women favor a combination of tulle with other materials, and some charming frocks of brocade with tulle or metal are seen.

Silver and gold tissue veiled with tulle is featured in new models intended for southern wear, and these are fashioned on slim graceful lines with bodices scarcely more than girdles held over the shoulders with bands of brilliant or tissue.

Marion Harland's
Helping Hand.

BY MARION HARMAND.

Needs Pieces for Quilt.

SEEKING in the Corner old magazines offered by B. I write to you I would be thankful and glad to get them. I am a lonely widow and a shut-in. Besides a stranger in this place, too. Kindly send me B's address. And if kind-hearted Cornerites have scraps of worsted stuff that may be made into a quilt and can spare them to a shut-in they would give me something to divert my thoughts from my troubles this winter. Which would be a real kindness to an invalid.

S. R. J.

It's beautiful donation of pieces went to an earlier applicant. We print your letter in a conspicuous place in the front hope that it may catch the eyes of other liberal souls who can supply your want. "The woods" (id est the Helping Hand Corner) are full of them. And your wants are real and pressing. We are holding your address in breathing expectancy that the right woman will step into the right place with a bundle of woolen scraps.

Making a Silk Quilt.

Will you please send me the name of Hattie P., and also the address, as I have a number of magazine scraps which I would be glad to exchange with her. And if kind readers of the Corner have silk pieces which they are willing to give away I will be grateful to the giver, as I am making a silk quilt and should like a number of pieces, not having enough to finish it.

ANNA D.

The desired address went to you by mail. Although our boards of quilt pieces have been drawn upon more heavily this season than ever before, there must be scraps left from the manufacture of Christmas presents and help. May I suggest that you be called at once into service to meet demand like the above. The Cornerites who write to us in a liberal spirit, as has record proven, should be recognized liberally.

Promised a Good Future.

I am a vocal student and my teacher promises me a good future, and for this he is going to give me lessons free of charge. I am an Italian by nationality, and am well educated in my own language. I would like to take music and piano lessons, and if some one would like to help me in this line I am very thankful to them.

ENRICO L.

We have not a few Italian musicians upon our roll. The spirit of their compatriot is referred to them.

Home for a Boy.

I read in a late issue of the Corner that a woman is trying to find a home for her boy. If she would like the boy to live in the country I know of a good place where he may go. My brother lives two and a half miles from town, and he would like to have the lad. He will send him to school and give him a good home. There are but two in the family. If the boy has not found a home we should like to have him come.

M. E. J.

We cannot trace the woman unless we have the initial signature attached to her letter. In the hope that she may recognize herself through your description of her want, we publish your communication in full.

Owen Moore's Wife
Should Treat Us
Better Than This.

"THE PRIDE OF THE CLAN"

Produced by Artistic
Presented at the La Salle
Theatricals
Robert, Earl of Dunstable, Warren Cook
The Countess of Dunstable, Ed. Roseman
The Duke of Argyll, J. J. Day
James Campbell, Matt Moore
Margaret MacFarlane, the wife of
the Duke of Argyll, Mary Pickford

BY MAE TINEE.

REALIZE that to criticize adversely some people is to become extremely unpopular with some people's friends. However, I'm a brave woman and venture it as my opinion on this beautiful Wednesday morning, that Owen Moore's wife should offer us something better in the way of entertainment than "The Pride of the Clan"—we who for years and years have loved and rooted for her.

This little woman whose appeal and charm are all her own can without doubt "out across" almost anything. If it's a "Pickford picture" exhibitors think it a good buy, for like our "Little Mary" as we do, we are apt to think of the picture itself in the light of a secondary consideration. "Were" I should have said. With our advancing pictorial education, witnessing as we do almost daily really remarkable productions, our demand for all around good things, grows with their output. We still cling to our favorites, but there is no doubt we feel abused and put upon when they come to us improperly vented.

In this picture at the La Salle there is a deplorable and wearying sameness of action and scenery. Everything that is done is accomplished by Owen Moore's wife rather weakly assisted by Alice Joyce's brother-in-law, Mr. Matt Moore, who has more energy but less, far less of that "subtle something" which so distinguishes his brothers, the amiable Owen and Thomas. The picture is popular, the popularity will be purely Pickfordian. You will see Jack Pickford's sister up to all her tricks. You have her pouting, smiling, crying, raging, praying, despairing, loving, renouncing and being exceedingly cunning in a lot of by play with her various pets. Aside from that there are feet after feet of dashing wavy hair, Scotch kilt, and, in the subtitles in verse and in dialect, and plot

Bright Sayings
of the Children

"The Tribune" will pay \$1 for each child's saying. The only condition is the story told must never have been printed in any magazine or paper. Write me at once, enclosing your saying. It is possible to acknowledge or return unfavorable contributions. Address bright sayings to Auntie Sue, "The Tribune," Chicago.



I had given Billie a puppy. I also gave one to a young woman whose mother keeps a grocery store. One day Billie went to the store for something and the young woman said to him: "Billie, your puppy and mine are brother and sister." Billie replied: "Well, then, you and I are related, aren't we?" O. G. M.

By ANTOINETTE DONNELLY.

POOD: IF YOUR MOTHER SUGGESTED in straightening her pug nose by massaging it daily when she was a girl of your age, then I see no reason why you should not accomplish the same results by daily massage. I should think you would have some say in the matter as to whether your brother can use your nose as a "bell button" or not. If you are firm with him and do not let him tease you you may be able to make a classical nose out of your pug. Try the massage at any rate; it may be months or longer before you see results.

ROSELLA: A GIRL FIVE FEET eight inches at the age of 17 should weigh 130 pounds. Splitting and breaking of the hair is usually the result of external injury, due to the fact that the hair has become brittle from lack of oil. Sometimes this lack of oil comes from general disturbance of the health, but much more frequently it is due to improper care of the hair. The remedy is to give the hair enough oil to restore its elasticity and resistance. There is no harm in clipping off broken hairs, and when the ends split they should be clipped off.

An Effective Laxative
For Growing ChildrenDr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin
Highly Recommended as
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Comment.

Sponsors for "Intolerance" announce with gleeful rubbing together of hands that gate receipts are smashing all records, including those for "The Birth of a Nation."

"The Girl Who Did Not Know."

"The Girl Who Did Not Care."

Two photoplays under the above titles are floating in our midst. She didn't know and neither did she care. More later.

To Fox will belong the exclusive of Nymph Kellerman during 1917, 1918 and 1919, according to Mr. Winfield R. Sheehan, general manager for the Fox corporation. Mr. Sheehan is here superintending the initial performance of "A Daughter of the Gods."

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BY JANE EDDINGTON.

Fresh sparberis, 11 to 14 cents a pound. Turnips to go with cooked sparberis, 3 cents a pound. Notice advantageous prices in sugar almost any day now and buy for marmalade making and lemon and other sirups.

Sparberis Stews.

PARBERIS poultices and stews were former favorites among the winter dishes. A southern cookery book says that the pie was made like chicken pie and was preferred to them by the old. Bucky's cook book for a people, layers of potato alternating with the meat. The sparberis were cooked first, and then the mixture was boiled three-quarters of an hour, closely covered. The southern pie was baked in the oven.

Sparberis stew quite universally have a little vinegar added to them, unless made with vegetables. When made in the latter way, with plenty of liquid, the meat and liquid may be served separately, the latter as a thick vegetable soup or even more agreeable a quality than one with beef. Pork fat is softer than beef fat.

The first of the following recipes is a slight adaptation of "pie quick," a recipe brought from the Chinese of San Francisco. One pound of sparberis, instead of two, is used, as easier to manage. In using any bone that is chopped, as the sparberis is, it is necessary to look out for the little splinters of bone when preparing and when eating as well.

Such a stew as the following is what the Italians call an "agro dolce," a favorite way of cooking small and inexpensive meats.

Sweet-Meat Sparberis Stew.

Have one pound of sparberis cut into small pieces, cut out packers' ink stamp and such defects, wash carefully, rub off little splinters of bone, and drop into boiling water. When the water boils again pour it off and fry the pieces brown. This searing of the meat shortens the cooking time. Pour off a little of the fat if necessary—it will be good white lard—add one or two cups of water, and let simmer, covered, until tender. Add a quarter of a cup of vinegar in which have been dissolved two teaspoons of cornstarch and one tablespoon of sugar. Stir well until the gravy thickens and the cornstarch is cooked.

Sparberis Stew with Vegetables.

Prepare meat as above. When it is fried stir in two tablespoons of flour, add one quart of water, three onions, sliced, two carrots, some celery, and a cup of tomato pulp. Stew gently until meat drops from bones.

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What He Caught.

In the spring of 1911, with my red, reel, and other equipment, I rowed out on one of the northern lakes for "muskies." After two hours, without a strike, I was rowing in to shore when my attention was attracted to a young lady in a boat playing a fish for dear life.

From experience I could see that she was having a hard time of it, so, deciding to be of assistance, I rowed over for her. As I was about a few strokes of the oars away from her the fish darted under her boat. This I knew would mean the loss of the fish and worse, the upsetting of the boat and the possible drowning of the girl, so with a few quick strokes of the oars I brought my boat alongside of hers and lashed them together with a clamp.

She was a game sport, at first refusing my offer of assistance, but finally, with our combined efforts, landed a twenty-two pound "muskie."

My father thanked me for the assistance I rendered and invited me to call on them. But as I was studying hard at that time did not care to continue an acquaintance which might ripen into love too soon.

I thought of her very often and she afterwards confessed that she, too, had pleasant thoughts along the same lines. They left for home that night, so I did not see her until two years later, in the fall of the year, while duck hunting with dad. She was up with her parents and the family's decided to go together in a blind.

The opening day of the duck season of 1913 found us together in the blind in the marshes. After watching our somewhat affectionate actions her dad said: "Here, children, because you are in a blind don't think I cannot see what's going on," and my dad said that in course of study to improve your English.

His English Is Faulty.

"Dear Miss Blake: I am a man about 22 and I met a young widow of 24, and I love her. I am afraid, because I don't speak English very well, yet she seems to like me. She has many admirers and I never had steady company with her. Please advise me how I can win her love." D. P.

The fact that you don't speak English well would be no barrier; whatever in the eyes of the woman if she reciprocated your love. You better get in the race with the other suitors if you are seriously interested in her. Don't be backward because of your poor English. In the meantime you might take up some course of study to improve your English.

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stead of shooting ducks we were ducking everybody and let Cupid do the shooting.

At the end of three days we had bagged the limit of ducks, rice hens, and mud hens, and mostly our love. I courted her for one year and now we have a little muskie of our own in the shape of a bouncing baby girl.

R. B. L.

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RESOURCES

Time Loans.....\$12,977,343.10
Demand Loans.....4,255,818.82
Acceptances.....1,967,881.84
Bonds, Securities, Etc.....12,079,177.85
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation.....150,000.00
Bank Premiums (Equity).....6,000,000.00
Other Real Estate.....3,234,917.55
Customers' Liability on Letters of Credit.....1,425,983.74
as per Contra.....35,584.41
Overdrafts.....91,516,927.77
Cash and Due From Banks.....\$27,542,438.70

LIABILITIES

Capital.....\$21,500,000.00
Surplus.....5,500,000.00
Undivided Profits.....4,911,533.40
Reserve for Taxes.....358,947.35
Circulation.....\$150,000.00
Less Amount on Hand.....0.00
Liability on Letters of Credit.....3,582,661.72
Liability on Acceptances.....1,425,983.74
Deposits—Individual.....\$122,821,000.00
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Total.....\$207,542,438.70

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Time Loans.....	\$12,977,343.10	Capital.....	\$21,500,000.00
Demand Loans.....	4,255,818.82	Surplus.....	5,500,000.00
Acceptances.....	1,967,881.84	Undivided Profits.....	4,911,533.40
Bonds, Securities, Etc.....	12,079,177.85	Reserve for Taxes.....	358,947.35
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation.....	150,000.00	Circulation.....	\$150,000.00
Bank Premiums (Equity).....	6,000,000.00	Less Amount on Hand.....	0.00
Other Real Estate.....	3,234,917.55	Liability on Letters of Credit.....	3,582,661.72
Customers' Liability on Letters of Credit.....	1,425,983.74	Liability on Acceptances.....	1,425,983.74
as per Contra.....	35,584.41	Deposits—Individual.....	\$122,821,000.00
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RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Time Loans (Secured by Collateral).....	\$7,994,346.89	Capital.....	\$2,000,000.00
Demand Loans.....	8,851,124.43	Surplus.....	1,000,000.00
Bonds and Securities.....	1,967,881.84	Undivided Profits.....	400,453.31
Due from Banks.....	4,399,149.54	Reserve for Taxes, Interest & Dividends.....	611,512.58
Cash.....	2,014,583.46	Demand Deposits.....	\$4,775,712.34
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		Total.....	\$33,580,000.21

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VILLA CAPT
TO CARRANZA**

**Wilson Decides to
draw Pershing—
Recommends**

BY ARTHUR SEARS F.
Washington, 'D. C., Jan-
cial)—After the complete
the negotiations with Car-
been reported to the pre-
afternoon by the American
sioners it became known
Wilson has decided definite-
draw the Pershing army
regulars from Mexico.

This move will mark the
tion of the punitive expe-
patched by the president
Columbus massacre last
take Villa, "dead or alive."

URGED BY GENERAL
The withdrawal of Persh-
based upon the recommen-
the general staff of the ar-
general staff, however, re-
the withdrawal only after
dent had halted the pursu-
and bowed to the manda-
rangs which resulted in the
of the Boyd command at Cu-
The general staff holds
thing is in a dangerous po-
a strategic point of view
of taking Villa dead or al-
mission declined to reveal if
"dead or alive" by the
handed whose army is a
equal numerically to the
forces.

Secretary of War Baker w
fearless for an hour today w
Staff Scout and Assistant Ch-
Chief of the withdrawal plan
stated at the war departm-
that the order has not yet

COMMISSIONER'S RE
The American commissio-
ted is the president an ex-
port of their futile endeav-
an agreement with Carranza
in the report are recommend-
policy to be pursued by the
tion in dealing with the Mex-
henceforth. Secretary of S-
Lusk, chairman of the Amer-
mission, declined to reveal if
of these recommendations,
president said he would at-
shaping his future course.

The American commissio-
a farewell session with the M-
hacioneros in a few days.

WOULD DROP CARE
The attitude of the Amer-
hacioneros is that Carranza
acted an agreement reached
tion suggested by himself
which rejected the propos-
ation of means of doing
Mexico, now should be also
for himself.

The president refused to
the Pershing expedition wh-
was demanding such withd-
Villa is a growing menace
facto government, and Car-
said, really wants the Pe-
to remain on Mexican soil
in the north.

CARRANZA'S LAST C
The idea of the administr-
Carranza now will be put
test, if he overcomes Vill-
establishes order, the admin-
be satisfied with the policy
waiting. If he fails it will
before another man, possible
will rise to power.

It was even suggested to
the withdrawal of the Amer-
military force the withdraw-
recommends of the Carr-
ment, especially in view of
New York of Juan T. Bui-
counsel general, charged wi-
to violate President Wilson
against the shipment of a
ammunition into Mexico.

It is assumed here that a
order for carrying out the
was furnished by the G-
hermpanic, which was the
A report that Elites, a
realized Mexican ambassa-
narrowly escaped the fa-
General Burns was deny-
of the department of justic-

HOW MEXICO VIL
General, Mexico, Jan-
Palm Beach, former secre-
instruction, who often he-
Gen. Carranza, declared he
stitutional assembly late in
the international